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COAL STRIKE IN  
WELSH FIELDS IS  
SERIOUS MENACEBritain Faces Labor Crisis  
When Coal Miners Lay  
Down Their Tools.

## FIRST TEST FOR MUNITIONS ACT

French Contradict German Claims as  
to Activities in the Argentine New  
Drive Toward Warsaw From East  
Prussia Looked For; Turks Lose.

By Associated Press.  
LONDON, July 15.—Out of the various manifestations of unrest in the British labor field shown since the outbreak of the war there developed today what may prove, unless an early solution is found, one of the most serious strikes in the history of the country.

More than 150,000 men already have laid down their tools, thereby snuffing down virtually all the mines in the Welsh coal field, which supplies a large portion of the British navy.

The British government, using for the first time the authority granted by the so-called munitions measures, issued today a proclamation to this effect, having been issued yesterday. The miners' answer to this proclamation was to strike.

Enough sought to a heavy daily loss for the nation and though urged by their leaders to allow their demands to be arbitrated, the miners threw aside all advice and today refused to take up their pickets, thus not only stopping the mines, but also the coal supply to the navy and the home railways and some ships engaged in coal transport.

Theoretically, the government is empowered to check the strike forthwith, but it is a puzzling problem how the law authorized under the munitions measures are to be enforced. No strike in the strike district has been reported.

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EXTRA GUARD FOR  
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John D. Rockefeller's employees at his Forest Hill (Cleveland) estate are taking every precaution to protect Mr. Rockefeller when he goes to Cleveland on his summer visit. The heavy iron and wire fence which surrounds part of the estate in East Cleveland has been strengthened, and a new set of barbed wire has been placed along the top. More barbed wire entanglements have been placed on the stone wall along the Forest Hill estate and wire strung through the top of the barbed wire fence on one side of the grounds. Additional watchmen have been placed at the main gate, and the cards of admission issued heretofore to citizens who wished to view the beautiful grounds have been recalled.

H. C. FRICK COKE COMPANY  
ORDERS 260 OVENS FIREDFirst Increase in Production Since  
New York Announcement of  
Industrial Boom.

The first increase in operations by the H. C. Frick Coke Company since the announcement was made in New York that orders had been issued for all subsidiaries of the United States Steel Corporation to operate at their maximum capacity, came today from the Southside office of the H. C. Frick Coke Company the following statement was made:

"The H. C. Frick Coke Company has ordered its production be increased effective today, 260 ovens, the additional ovens being fired at the following plants: Colonial No. 1, Continental No. 2, Independence, No. 3, Lawrence, No. 4, and 5, United, York, Elm, Rochester and Whitney."

The Frick plants are for the most part operating six days a week.

mentations touch a different phase of the question.

LONDON, July 15.—A dispatch from Berlin by way of Amsterdam today said:

"The Austro-Hungarian protest to America is a sequel to the recent conference at Vienna, between Dr. von Danneberg-Hollweg, foreign minister and Baron von Tizze, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister."

"The protest was sent at the request of Germany and Turkey, and follows suit. The object is to warn America that a rupture of relations with Germany will mean also a rupture with Germany's allies."

WOUNDED PRISONERS ARE  
SENT BACK TO HOMES

BERNE, Switzerland, via Paris, July 15.—A special train loaded with French prisoners of war, permanent prisoners of war, and others, arrived here today. The train was carrying 1,000 prisoners of war, and the rest of the crew was landed at Great Yarmouth.

TOO MUCH SPEED.

West Siders. Kicking About Way Auto Travel Over There.

Complaint is being made by residents of the West Side on account of the speed in which automobiles are driven up Main street. The danger is being made last evening and the driver will be caught by the police and fined for speeding.

AUSTRIAN PROTESTS TRADE  
IN WAR MATERIALS BY U. S.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—Austrian diplomatic representations that American exports of war munitions to the allies have attained dimensions endangering the neutrality of the United States have been under consideration at the State Department since July 1 and so far it has not been determined what reply, if any, the United States will make.

The Austrian note, delivered to Ambassador Pennington on June 29, probably will not be given out here. It is subject to the usual diplomatic procedure, and the United States will wait for the Austrian reply before making a decision.

German officials have openly declared the United States fully within its rights as a neutral in selling war exports to the allies. Austria's repre-

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Vacate Street.

## FAYETTE DECISION IS REVERSED

Verdicts in Two Other Cases From  
Fayette County Are Upheld by the  
State's Highest Tribunal, Includ-  
ing Claim of Boy Hurt in Mine.

Special to The Courier.  
UNIONTOWN, July 15.—A decision by the supreme court, reversing the Fayette county court in non-suiting the plaintiff in the case of Frank Curdick of Connellsville against the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Youghiogheny railroad, was received today. The case is an outgrowth of the operations of a few years ago in constructing a fill across Torrence avenue, West Side, Connellsville.

The plaintiff claimed damages for consequential injuries to three pieces of real estate owned by him in the West Side, Connellsville, growing out of the relocation and reconstruction of the defendant's railroad. Curtis answered that the public road, the Connellsville and Vanderliet road, which within the borough was known as Torrence avenue, passed along his three properties, allowing him access, that the section of the borough was rendered wholly unusable because of the construction of a fill, more than forty feet high, by the railroad, and thereby causing great depreciation in the plaintiff's property. The averment included that Torrence avenue was a country road leading from that section to Dawson, Vanderliet, etc. On cross examination, the plaintiff admitted that he knew that the borough of Connellsville authorities had vacated Torrence avenue before the defendant began to make the fill. On this admission, the court granted a non-suit.

The upper court calls attention to the fact that plaintiff offered evidence to prove Torrence avenue was a continuous public highway leading through the neighboring country into and out of the borough of Connellsville and not exclusively a road within the borough and that therefore the jurisdiction to vacate the part of the road within the borough was not vested in the borough authorities, but in the court of quarter sessions. The non-suit of the lower court is reversed. Judge Von Moschler rendered the opinion.

In the case of Jeremiah Maurer against Grace Railway and others, attorneys under the will of W. J. Bailey, the supreme court affirmed the verdict of \$22,500, damages, reduced to \$1,600, given the plaintiff as the result of the injury to his son, James Baillie, in the railway mines. Appeal was based on the grounds of negligence, which the higher court decided were matters of fact for the jury to determine.

In the suit of the Mesta Machine Company against the Dime Furnace Company and William Safford, trustee, a judgment against the furnace company under a mechanic's lien was affirmed.

Was received yesterday that the supreme court had affirmed the decision of the Fayette county court in the case of Charles Lettice of Uniontown, against the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company. Lettice was awarded \$2,000 damages for injuries received on November 2, 1912, when his team was struck by a north bound passenger train on the Lehigh crossing.

The case tried in the Fayette county court in November, 1913, and the jury awarded Lettice \$3,500. The verdict was set aside by Judge Umbel who heard the case, to \$2,000. An appeal was taken by the railroad company and the case was argued in Philadelphia before the supreme court last May.

## MARKERS FOR GRAVES

They Are Being Placed Over Resting  
Place of War Veterans

Terra cotta markers are being placed on the graves of the Civil War veterans in Hill Grove and Chestnut Hill cemeteries, and the cemetery on the West Side. The markers were furnished by the county and are in the form of a tube, the greater portion of which is inserted in the ground. They bear the inscription "U. S. A. R."

About 200 markers were received in this city, and persons having Civil War veterans buried in the cemeteries named, whose graves are without a marker, may notify Joseph T. Johnson or other members of the board of trustees and a marker will be placed on the grave.

## GOES TO McDONALD.

Young Priest Is Named Assistant in  
The New Parish.

Rev. Father William McCashin, who was recently ordained to the priesthood, has been assigned assistant priest of the Catholic Church at McDonald, in the Pittsburgh diocese. He left this morning to assume his new charge.

Rev. Father Michael Stenzel has been assigned to a foreign charge at Millersburg, Washington county.

## FARMERS TO MEET

The Union Farmers Club of Fayette  
county will meet Saturday at the  
home of A. C. Ogilvie, near Leigon,  
Rt. No. 1.APPRAISERS FIX WORTH OF  
I. W. SEMANS' AT \$9,344,624Men Who Valued Thompson's Prop-  
erty File Report of Asso-  
ciate's Assets.

Special to The Courier.  
UNIONTOWN, July 15.—The report of the appraisers of I. W. Semans was filed in court this morning. The holdings of I. W. Semans are valued at \$9,344,624.77. The appraisers were Julian Kennedy, B. C. Crawford and R. M. Hite. The appraisement was made by order of the court and the appraisers have been working since June 1, at which time they were appointed.

Of the total amount, undeveloped land is valued at \$4,158,651.44, stocks and bonds are valued at \$1,200,410. Surface lands and sundry real estate are valued at \$433,565.60. Notes and account receivable and sundry assets amount to \$269,057.63. The survey of coal holdings in the different counties shows the following: Washington county, 10,125,888 acres, appraised at \$3,222,811.12; Greene county, 5,355,502 acres, appraised at \$2,104,253.87; Fayette county, 15 acres, valued at \$19,000. In West Virginia are 2,672,463 acres, valued at \$501,915.55.

The surface land and sundry real estate in Washington county was 275.04 acres, valued at \$57,504; and in Greene county 450.08 acres, valued at \$45,008.20. In Fayette the realty is valued at \$33,865.60, including 1,000,000 property and the Summit hotel. Notes receivable are \$70,719, and accounts receivable are \$297,161.63. Miscellaneous holdings are valued at \$401,500.

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The picnic was a great success, the number attending being estimated at 600. Twenty-five automobiles were used in conveying the picnicers to and from the grounds.

Dinner and supper were served, and about 1500 glasses of beer were sold by J. T. Hogg, who was held. Rev. J. T. Hogg, who was scheduled to deliver an address, did not arrive. There was music by a band, and other amusements including an interesting athletic program.

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"Hundred yard dash for men, Ripley Lauchry, pair of tennis shoes donated by C. W. Downs & Company; 60 yard dash for boys, James Graham, son of F. B. Graham, penknife donated by Louisa Hardwick Company; 60 yard dash for girls, Alice Mooreman, paragon, donated by W. N. Leche; egg race, Mrs. Weisel, electric fan, donated by West Penn Electric Company; 60 yard dash for men, Joseph Lauchry, pair of tennis shoes, donated by Cooper & Long; 50 yard dash for women, Miss Hesse, paragon, donated by Wright-Metzer Company; ball throwing contest for women, Mrs. Wolcott, two pounds of coffee, donated by J. M. Young; ball throwing contest for men, Paul Buttermore, no prize. O. H. Horvick was in charge of the sports program.

## MAY BE WANTED HERE

Daniel Walsman, Arrested at Manhat-  
tan, Harbored Little Girl.

Daniel Walsman and several others were arrested at Manhattan, N. Y., following the discovery that a little girl was being harbored by the party, who was wanted in Fayette county. It is said that Walsman was arrested here recently on a charge of stealing a car, and jumped his bail.

The little girl, who is being cared for by a trustee named at Manhattan, is said to have been abducted by the party some months ago. She lived with them at Connellsville, Leith, Uied and other places in this section. She told a story of gross maltreatment at the hands of the men. She also declared that Walsman admitted to her that he had held up and robbed a street car conductor in Connellsville.

## OFFICERS HERE

Vice President Thompson and Party  
Inspected Trip.

A party of hallmarks & Ohio officials, headed by A. W. Thompson, vice president and chief operating officer, passed through town yesterday afternoon en route to Pittsburgh following an inspection trip over the lines of the property. The inspection was the first of the new fiscal year.

Among those in the party in addition to Vice President Thompson, were C. W. Galloway, general manager; E. B. Blaser, general superintendent; Earl Stinson, engineer of maintenance of way; E. B. Jackson, assistant engineer; and J. D. McCubbin, road and bridge engineer. J. T. Carroll, assistant general superintendent of motive power; J. T. Burns, secretary to vice president.

## ST. SWITHIN'S DAY

Old Superstition Calls for 40 Days of  
Dumppess.

This is St. Swithin's Day and it is believed that if the superstition held good persons could look for 40 days before any extended period of clear weather would arrive.

It is related that at the time the body of St. Swithin was to be removed from Winchester Church, several centuries ago, July 15 was fixed as the date. It rained that day and continued raining for 40 days.

Out of this incident grew the superstition that rain on St. Swithin's Day meant rain for 40 succeeding days. It has rained rather generously for the past forty days and longer, and it certainly did rain this morning, but there is no superstition that maybe the excessive precipitation is about near a finish.

## LAD IS HURT

Fractures Ankle When He Jumped from  
a Wagon.

Victor Lester Herbert of Vanderliet, 15 years old, jumped from a wagon yesterday afternoon, suffering a fracture of the right ankle. He was removed to the Cottage State Hospital for treatment.

Ethel Sisley of Perryopolis, 17 years old, was admitted for an operation for appendicitis.

Victor Seutath of Connellsville, 10 years old, underwent an operation for throat trouble.

## Weather Forecast

Showers and probably thunder  
storms tonight and Friday, is the  
noon weather forecast.

The Temperature. 1915 1914  
Maximum ..... 87 84  
Minimum ..... 70 70  
Mean ..... 78 77

The Young men fell during the night from 150 feet to 140 feet. Sun-rises at 4:41 A. M. and sets at 7:30 P. M.

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NEW EXTENSION OF INDIAN  
CREEK VALLEY LINE OPENLast Trains Being Laid and Consider-  
able Tonnage Will Be Developed  
in Coal and Clay.

It is expected that the last rails of a connection between the Indian Creek Valley and the Blair Lumber Company's concern operating along the valley beyond Jones' Mill will be laid today or tomorrow. Both companies have laid some track, the lumbermen putting down four miles and the railroad one mile. The connection will be made at the roadhead of the old South Penn railroad, a proposition which fell through many years ago.

Officials of the Indian Creek Valley railroad expect about 500 tons a day will be shipped on the extension at present, and that after things get going well, 10 or 12 carsloads will go down the valley. The track has been laid out of Jones' Mills, the present terminus of the line. The Blair Lumber Company has two coal mines and some fire clay holdings which will greatly increase the freight business of the road. All the freight of this company was formerly shipped over the Pennsylvania railroad. There will be saved by bringing it down the valley and sending it over the Baltimore & Ohio from Indian Creek.

Business of the McFarland Lumber Company, on the Indian Creek Valley line, is also increasing. Thousands of feet of lumber are piled up along the valley for seasoning and the mill is working regularly.

## SEWER BONDS BEATEN

South Connellsville Voters Reject  
\$200,000 Construction Program.

The \$200,000 bond issue proposed by the South Connellsville council to construct a sewerage system in that borough and sending it over the Baltimore & Ohio from Indian Creek.

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## CHILD LABOR BILL

Manufacturers Predict \$1 Per Cent  
Will Lose Work by New Law.

Elimination of more than \$1 per cent of the child labor of Pennsylvania, because of the new child labor law, passed the last session of the Legislature, is predicted in the monthly bulletin of the Pennsylvania Manufacturers' Association made public on Monday.

The association canvassed the manufacturers of the state. The law affects children between the ages of 14 and 16 years and the statistics of the bulletin are based on children between these ages. The canvass was made among 1,000 manufacturers. Approximately 2,300 of the concerns are members of the association. The first communication brought 2,065 answers. The second communication brought 1,221 replies, according to the bulletin.

Calculating that the average minor receives \$2 a week, the report says that "industrious and often needy families throughout the state will have lost \$11,700,000 a year through a law which Governor Brumbaugh forced the Legislature to pass as he wanted it passed."

TREASURY DEPARTMENT REDUCES BILLS  
Turned In Here.

Notary J. R. Kurz received from the Treasury Department two \$1 bills for Mrs. Crawford of Springfield township, who threw four \$1 bills into the fire with a bundle which she thought to be waste paper.

Mrs. Crawford managed to save part of the three bills and brought them to Connellsville and had Notary Kurz make application for the redemption of one of the bills was too small to be redeemable.

## HIT BY AUTO

Lad Runs In Front of Machine and  
Is Bruised.

Frank Hall Thomas, colored, 10 years old, was run down on North Pittsburgh street yesterday afternoon by the automobile truck of the Rowe Ice Cream Company. The boy, it is said, jumped from a wagon directly in front of the truck.

He was brought seriously injured, but on his removal to the Cottage State Hospital it was discovered that his only injury was a slight bruise of the face.

RAPID PROGRESS  
IS MADE ON THE  
STREET CONTRACTSFrancis Avenue is Graded  
by the City Highway  
Force.

## IMPROVEMENT LONG NEEDED

Malachi Duggan, J. L. Dick and  
Brooke & Cornish, Making Good  
Progress on Their Contracts; Sew-  
ers Being Laid on Morrell Avenue.

Improvements on three different streets undertaken by the city are progressing rapidly. One street, Francis avenue, was finished by the city street force yesterday. J. L. Dick of Scottdale is laying sewer pipes as quickly as possible on Morrell avenue, and Malachi Duggan is nearing a finish on North Pittsburgh street.

Francis avenue, which for years has been an uneven, rocky road, has been graded, leveled, scraped and rolled. The last work on that street was done yesterday. A force in charge of D. T. Hildebrand did all the work, grading by taking dirt from the top of the hill and filling in from Eighth street up. For a dirt street Francis avenue is now the best in the city.

J. L. Dick, the Scottdale contractor who is laying a sewer in Morrell avenue, is having trouble with the rock and shale. Much blasting is necessary. The pipe will be laid as far as the curb and many lines have been dug, although the pipe has not yet been placed. Plans for the sewers is piled up along the street and will be put in as soon as all the connections are ready.

On North Pittsburgh street Malachi Duggan, who is laying contract there, is progressing, his only trouble being with the water company, which is delaying the work somewhat. The job should be finished soon.

Brooke & Cornish, the Uniontown contractors, are making good headway on their two contracts, one on Murphy and Cottage avenues and the other along South Pittsburgh street. The grading around the hospital and down Cottage avenue is about complete. There has been some delay on Murphy avenue due to a question over a curb line, but this has been adjusted. The line the contractors to go ahead. Considering the wet weather that has prevailed they are making exceptionally good time. About one-third of the grading on South Pittsburgh street to the end of the city line has been completed.

As yet Contractor Bernard O'Connor has made no move to accomplish anything along Isabelle road and it is said that the residents of the street propose to make a strong protest to the city council unless the West Side contractor gets on the job soon. O'Connor's steam shovel is at New Salem, it is said, and the Isabelle road residents fear it will be winter before the contractor gets started.

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# SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Holland of East Patterson avenue have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Alice Ruth Holland to Frank H. Collier of Pittsburgh. The engagement will terminate in an early fall wedding. Miss Holland has a white circle of friends and is a popular member of the younger social set. Her fiance is a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Collier of Uniontown, and is employed in the office of the Union Supply Company in Pittsburgh.

An Institute of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of the third district was held yesterday in the Evangelical Church at South Conneltsville, with representatives from all over the district in attendance. Mrs. Ida Seaman delivered the address of welcome, and Mrs. Brooks of Mill Run responded. Mrs. W. C. Schumaker spoke on "Woman's Suffrage." Mrs. Kate Blenauer of Uniontown, the county president, also gave an address. Members of the W. C. T. U. of this city assisted in making the institute a great success. Luncheon was served at the home of Mrs. Ida Seaman. A white and gold color scheme prevailed, white denoting the Union color, and yellow being significant of the suffrage cause.

The J. B. Erie Fancy Wack Club will meet this evening at the home of Miss Elizabeth Williams at Scott Dale.

The Glad-U-Kum Club was entertained last night by Miss Alta Decker at her home on Franklin avenue. About twenty guests, including young men friends of the club members, attended and spent a very enjoyable evening at cards and dancing. Music was rendered by Kiefer's orchestra. A well arranged luncheon was served.

Thursday, August 15, is the date set for the annual reunion of the Johnson-Henscher families. Committees have been appointed and arrangements are being made for the greatest reunion ever held by the family.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church will meet tomorrow evening in the church. All members are invited.

Evangelistic meetings commencing at 8 P. M. are being held each evening in the gospel tent on Highland avenue. Evangelist W. J. Armstrong of Hartford, Conn., and G. H. Wimmer of Harrisburg are in charge.

A party of young people from Dawson will motor to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hull in the country near Greensburg tomorrow evening. The trip will be made in Grinn's automobile.

**PERSONAL**  
Season Theatre today. "The Diamond from the Sky," two reels. "The Chevalier Mystery," three reels. "The Mechanical Man," comedy. Tomorrow, "The Romance of India."

Mr. James Turner and daughter, Miss Grace, and son Edward, returned to Washington, D. C., this morning after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Patterson of West Morton avenue.

Frank Dent, a druggist of Morgantown, W. Va., stopped off in Conneltsville this morning on his way to Atlantic City.

Miss Belle Stillwagon in the guest of Mrs. A. McCormick visited friends in Pittsburgh today. James Mayfield of Smithfield, a former well known resident of the West Side, is visiting friends here. Thomas Baxter was in Pittsburgh today on business.

Mrs. W. H. McClintock, Ray and Ruth McClintock and Mrs. B. J. Ball, the latter from Uniontown, went to Pittsburgh this morning.

Miss Ida Hagg of Latrobe has returned from a visit with relatives here. Michael J. Barry, Jr., a brother of Superintendent R. H. Barry of the Youngstown mines, will leave tonight for a trip to New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Mass., Atlantic City and Camden, N. J.

Attorney and Mrs. S. R. Goldsmith and son Jack, accompanied by Miss Anne Thompson of New York, a sister of Mrs. Goldsmith, arrived home yesterday from an automobile trip to New York, the White and Berkshire mountains. From New York they returned home by way of Washington and Baltimore.

**AMERICAN BANKERS MUST FINANCE EXPORT TRADE**  
West Virginia Association Told That Dollar Is Fast Supplanting the Pound Sterling.

By Associated Press.  
WHITEL: SULLY'S SPRINGS, W. Va., July 15.—Bankers of the United States were warned today that they must prepare to handle the financial end of a wide American foreign trade by Dr. E. E. Pratt, chief of the Bureau of Foreign & Domestic Commerce, in a speech before the West Virginia Bankers' Association here today. The development of a large export business is now under way, Dr. Pratt told the bankers and manufacturers and merchants will call upon the banks for extensive services in handling the cash and credit export transactions.

Dr. Pratt said the American banks are now establishing branches in South America and other parts of the world to handle American business, and that the European war has resulted in the extensive substitution of American dollar exchange for English pound sterling exchange in international transactions. He estimated that the total loans of American money and credit to Europe so far during the war totaled \$500,000,000, and suggested that the putting out of large sums of American money in Europe was an economic fallacy.

One of the features of the meeting was expected to be the introduction of a resolution urging the adoption of a constitutional amendment to permit the classification of West Virginia property for taxation.

**Orders for Rides.**  
NEW YORK, July 15.—It has been learned that the Washington Electric & Manufacturing Company has assured of another order for 1,000,000 rides from the British government. The company is already at work on the first order, of similar size.

## OLD PHOTO CRAZE SPREADING; MORE PICTURES ARE SHOWN

New Collection of Views Is Now on Display at E. Dunn Store on Pittsburgh Street.

The old picture craze has spread to Pittsburgh street and the windows of E. J. Dunn's store are now a place for display on that thoroughfare. The oldest picture turned in there as yet is a view of L. E. Wetmore's old home and shoe shop that formerly occupied the site of the Title & Trust building. The picture is 50 years old. Pictures of the continent, and the people have been contributed to the Dunn collection. Several old fire companies are also shown. One of the most interesting pictures is that of a crowd in front of the old city hall taken just after the attempt had been made to lynch Patrick, the negro who shot William Moore. The scene which had been intended for Fairbanks' neck is seen hanging out of a window.

A picture of the police force showing Arch Holliday, Howard Anderson, John DeTemple, Logan Mitty, J. W. Mitchell, Harry McCormick and Frank McCadden in the foreground, and a camp picture showing the Porter, Murphy, West, and Critchfield families. Another camp picture is that of the Yea-Doo camping club. Some old citizens who are seen on the picture are Noble McCormick, Centerville, B. G. Miller, Anthony King, S. H. Hildebrand, James W. Howard, Tweed Gallagher and a brother, Will Shingley. Herbert Watson and Patrick Murphy. Another interesting picture is that of "Old Maud," the largest engine on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, and also the smallest. Some pictures were turned in from the Dunn store, that formerly stood where the Conneltsville Drug Company is located. On one of the pictures are seen J. Fred Kurtz and A. E. Kurtz, as they looked while quite small.

Some of the oldest pictures yet contributed are those of the old Zachariah Connell place, the old May homestead, and Col. Crawford's cabin.

**NOW THE MILKY WAY.**

New Yorkers Imbibe the Latest Fads Instead of Beer.

NEW YORK, July 15.—Milk is becoming the favorite drink of residents of New York and the number of licensed saloons is decreasing, according to the health department.

They announced today that the consumption of milk in this city had increased 50 per cent in 10 years.

**Sells Rails to Russia.**  
NEW YORK, July 15.—The Lackawanna Steel Company announced the sale of 60,000 tons of steel rails to the Russian government for delivery in September. These rails, it is understood, are to be used mainly in additional construction of the Trans-Siberian railroad. The price paid is not disclosed.

**French Leaves Hospital.**  
C. L. French, superintendent of the Cumberland division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, has been discharged from a Baltimore hospital and with Mrs. French and daughter, Miss Ruth, is enjoining at Atlantic City. The improvement of Superintendent French has been gradual since the third blood transfusion operation.

**Rapid Progress Is Made.**  
Rapid progress is being made in the opening up of the Helen Iron coal field by the Consolidation Coal Company, which is sinking two shafts, and by the Western Maryland, which is but only let the contract for the construction of a seven mile spur to afford access to the new field from the Baltimore & Ohio line at Farmington.

## The E. Dunn Store Cuthbertson & Roe Connellsville, Pa.

**TUB SKIRTS—WELL CHOSEN!**  
Of Gabardine, Pique, Galatia and Linene. With fine days of early summer bringing outdoor vacations to the fore, Tub Skirts come into their own. Our showing is most practical with the added virtue of being very chic. The value giving is most unusual at 50c, 85c, \$1.15, \$1.25 to \$3.95.

**PANAMA HATS.**  
Our assortment of these charming summer hats is most complete; fashionable shapes, including the sailor and sport effects. They are untrimmed and can be trimmed to suit your particular taste. \$1.00

**BOYS' WASH SUITS**  
In this sale we are offering mothers newest styles and most popular materials for boys 2 to 8 years, in quantities ordinarily selling for much more. We will say no more, but leave it to you to be delightfully surprised at wonderful values you will find here at 21c, 35c, 49c, 75c to \$2.50.

**NEW FALL SUITS FOR 1915.**  
We are showing a carefully selected line of the new suits for fall. They follow more closely tailored lines than formerly, and are very stylish. Come in and see for yourselves the new styles. Prices \$22.50 to \$27.50

**GIRLS' FROCKS FOR SUMMER WEAR.**

As youthful in spirit as the girls who will wear them—are these dresses of carefully selected materials. The skirts are wide and rippling with fullness, and the waists prettily shirred—many of them with belted effects. Dresses to please the most exacting mothers. 49c, 79c, 98c, \$1.50 to \$7.50.

**PATTERN HATS MARKED VERY LOW.**

We've got Pattern Hats—as stylish and handsome as any shown this season. We wish to close them out at once, and have remarked them accordingly. The price you may select from the lot does not represent one-third the original cost. Come in a hurry and secure one at \$5.00

**PALE BEACH SUITS.**  
Each bearing the label "Genuine Pale Beach Cloth," made up in plaited effects, quite the newest thing; nothing better to wear during vacation time. Choice of styles that are priced up to \$15, at \$10.00

**WAIST CENTER'S LATEST.**  
New arrival of real \$2.00 values in nobby, dainty lace and embroidery trimmed waists, of voile and organdie; plenty of all sizes up to 44. They'll be the talk of the town. Featured at only \$1.00

**PARASOL TIME HERE.**  
Special tomorrow—to close out our entire stock of Parasols just when you need them most. All are the newest styles shown this spring: \$5.00 Parasols for \$2.95 \$2.95 Parasols for \$1.95

**HATS FOR CHILDREN.**  
Splendid assortment of Hats for young girls and boys. We are selling at remarkably low prices, in fact, we are closing broken lines at almost giveaway-prices. Mothers will have no trouble in making a selection here, and the price will be low. 29c, 49c, 89c, \$1.00 to \$2.50.

**VUDOR PORCH SHADES.**  
We are closing out our entire stock of Porch Shades and you can save money by coming to us. We haven't room for them, so wish to get rid of them, and offer them at a nice saving from regular prices: 4-foot Shades \$2.00 8-foot Shades \$3.75 10-foot Shades \$5.75

**GREAT BARGAINS IN DOMESTICS.**

You'll be surprised at the low prices we are selling all lines of domestics. You can fill any needs in this line at handsome saving from regular prices.

## The Grim Reaper

**CHARLES ZIMMERMAN.**  
The funeral of Charles Zimmerman took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence in McKeesport. Mr. Zimmerman was one of the best known residents of McKeesport and was the father-in-law of J. K. Yohe, superintendent of the Conneltsville division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, and was a cousin of W. H. Clasper of this city. His widow, five daughters and two sons survive. Mrs. W. H. Clasper went to McKeesport this morning to attend the funeral.

**MRS. HANNAH WHITSEL.**  
The body of Mrs. Hannah Whitsel arrived here yesterday afternoon from Kane Creek, W. Va., and was removed by funeral director J. B. Sims to the home of a son-in-law, Frank Walker, in North Pittsburgh street. Tomorrow morning the body will be shipped on Baltimore & Ohio train No. 18 due here at 8:40 to Springfield, where services will be held at the Lutheran Church at that place. In naming the surviving children yesterday, Mrs. Fred Herman of Mill Run, a daughter, was omitted. Among the out of town persons here for the funeral are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gardner, Mrs. Ella Margaret of Elizabeth, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. George Whitsel and daughter of Kane Creek, W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Whitsel of Washington, Va.; and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Percy of New Kensington.

**MRS. KATE THOMAS.**  
Mrs. Kate Thomas, 78 years old, wife of Joseph Thomas, died yesterday at her home at Dunbar. Her husband and seven children survive. Funeral from the Holy Cross Church in Uniontown tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

**NANCY BARR.**  
Miss Nancy Barr, 78 years old, one of Brownsville's oldest residents, died yesterday.

**MRS. NELLIE HERR.**  
Mrs. Nellie A. Herr, 32 years old, wife of Clarence E. Herr of Greensburg, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hubbard at Donegal. She is survived by her husband, one son, Ralph E. Herr, five years old, her parents and the Misses Anna and Gertrude Hubbard, daughters in a Pittsburgh hospital; and Mrs. E. L. Crawford of Scottsdale. Funeral Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Donegal.

**M. E. DERFLINGER.**  
Word has been received here of the death of M. E. Derflinger Tuesday night at his home at West Newton. Mr. Derflinger was a well known Pittsburgh & Lake Erie engineer and up until recently resided at Duwoven. He had been ill for several weeks. Funeral tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the family residence.

**CHANGE IN TIME.**

Atlantic City Excursion Train Will Proceed No. 4 Hereafter.  
The Baltimore & Ohio excursion to Atlantic City will arrive here at 8:40 A. M. hereafter, instead of following regular train No. 6, due at 9:50, as heretofore.

The second excursion for the summer was run this morning. A special train of seven coaches, carried many excursionists out of Pittsburgh. Miss Lucy Allen of Uniontown, was among the excursionists to board the train in Conneltsville.

**John Spotts Planks.**  
On account of rain the annual congressional and Sunday school picnic of the United Presbyterian Church, which was to have been held today at Subson Park, is being held in the dining room of the hotel. Many are attending and at noon an elaborate dinner was served by the committee in charge.

**Two Drunks Sentenced.**  
Two drunks were sentenced by Mayor Marietta this morning. One train rider was discharged.

## DAVIDSON'S "All That Is Necessary"

If you are not satisfied with the Fresh Meat and Dressed Poultry you are getting, call or send your order to our Meat Counter, we will please you.

**We Will Save You Money**

Fancy Sugar Cured Hams, per lb.	17 3/4c	Granulated Sugar, 25 lb. bag	\$1.70
Fancy New Potatoes, per peck (15 lbs) Friday and Saturday	15c	Quart Mason Jars, per doz.	40c
Fancy large Lemons, per doz.	15c	Pint Mason Jars, per doz.	35c
Square Deal Bacon, 2 lbs.	25c	Quart Tin Cans, per doz.	28c
10 lb. Pall Mackerel	80c	Extra Heavy Jar Rings, 4 doz.	25c
10 lb. Pall Lake Herring	65c	Fancy Rio Coffee, per lb.	15c
Nice Fat Mackerel, 6 lbs.	25c	Fancy Comb Honey, per comb	15c
Lemon Cling Peaches, a can	15c	Hire's Gold Brand Milk, 8 cans	25c
Good Yellow Peaches, 2 cans	25c	Van Camp's Milk, 7 cans	25c
Extra Sliced Peas, 2 cans	25c	Peanut Butter, 2 lbs.	25c
Fancy Sliced Peaches, 2 cans	25c	Quart Jar Olives	25c
Fancy Apricots, 2 lbs.	25c	Pure Fruit Preserves, 25c jar	18c
Fancy Evaporated Raspberries, box	25c	Nine O'Clock Washing Tea, 7 pkgs.	25c
Ilire's Root Beer Extract, bottle	15c	6 Large Rolls Toilet Paper	25c
Quart Bottle Grape Juice	35c	Santa Clause Soap, 7 bars	25c
Pint Bottle Grape Juice	20c	Snider's Catsup, 15c bottle	10c
Jell-O or Ice Cream Powder, 2 boxes	25c	Snider's Baked Beans, can	10c
Pure Cocoa (loose) per lb.	18c	4 cans Sugar Corn	25c
Panety Santos Coffee, per lb.	18c	3 Large Cans Tomatoes	25c
		3 Cans New June Peas	25c

The best Oleomargarine to buy is Moxley's Special at 23c pound. Other good brands at 20c and 15c pound.

Baur's and Ward's Cakes, Buns and Rolls.

## J. R. Davidson Co.

"THE STORE THAT DOES THINGS FOR YOU."

109 West Main Street, Connellsville, Pa.

## DUNBAR PICNIC

Sunday Schools There Will Go Into the Mountains.

At a meeting of representatives of Sunday schools at Dunbar, held just evening in the Methodist Protestant Church at Dunbar, it was decided to hold a union picnic of the schools there Thursday, July 23, in the mountains about three miles from Dunbar. The picnicers will be conveyed to and from the grounds over the New Haven & Dunbar railroad line by the courtesy of the Dunbar Purchase Company.

The following committee on sports was appointed: Harold McGee, Herbert Baker and Thomas Chavens. The schools which will join in the picnic are the Presbyterian, Methodist Protestant, Baptist, Methodist Episcopal and Pentecost Union.

## REAL PIANO BARGAINS

At Dunn's Storage on East Patch St., Connellsville.

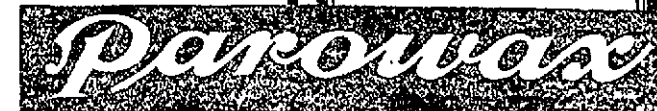
These are not old worn out pianos that are not fit to be seen or heard. But among them are new pianos of the very highest grade, and others so slightly used that they can hardly be told from new. Pianos \$75 and up, player pianos \$250 and up, organs \$25.00 and up. Dunn's Storage, 1011 Phone 59, Tri-State 157-W, Connellsville. Every piano guaranteed by The W. F. Frederick Piano Co.—Adv.

**Propitit to Speak.**  
Rev. J. L. Prouditt will address the members of the Hopewell Presbyterian Church this evening on "How to Raise Money," dealing with the financing of the various branches of the church work.

## They Won't Spoil if they're PAROWAXED

That preserving demon—Fermentation—hasn't a chance with Parowax, the double-pure paraffin that's clean enough to chew. All you do is dip the tip of your jars in melted Parowax—it does the rest. Box of 4 big cakes, 10c, everywhere.

The Atlantic Refining Co.



**Parowax**

## HAS TYPHOID FEVER.

Little Girl Is Reported Ill to Board of Health.  
A typhoid fever victim was reported to Health Officer George Heter this morning. Emma Clayton, three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clayton of Connellsville, has been taken ill.

Dorothy Whippley, 3 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Whippley of South Conneltsville, is ill with an attack of scarlet fever.

## POVERTY

Hangs By a Hair Over the Man Who Spends All.  
Makes no difference whether your income is \$500 or \$5,000, unless you save something the wolf is just outside your door and may enter any time. Better put by a little. The old reliable First National pays liberal interest on savings. One dollar opens an account.—Adv.

Licensed to Wed.  
Elbert Tissue and Margaret Jaynes of Conneltsville, William James Hough and Cora McMillan of Brownsville, were granted marriage licenses in Uniontown yesterday.

## After the Honeymoon—

The brides first and never-ending problem is "What to Eat." For breakfast, lunch, or supper, what could one have more delicious than

## New Post Toasties

These new flakes are made of choice Indian corn, cooked and toasted by a new method that brings out a wonderful new flavour.

In this new process, intense heat expands the interior moisture producing little pearl-like "puffs," a distinguishing characteristic of the

## New Post Toasties

For a flavour test, eat some dry. Then notice that these New Toasties have a body and firmness—don't mush down when cream or milk is added—

Your Grocer Has Them Now.





## News from Nearby Towns

## Mount Pleasant

Special to The Courier.  
**MT. PLEASANT, July 15.**—The Playground Juniors defeated the Junior team from Bessemer at the park yesterday by a score of 23 to 2 and then the larger team from Bessemer came up and triumphed the Boy Scout team by a score of 6 to 2. The Scottsdale Y. M. C. A. team will meet the Boy Scouts after the parade this evening that will mark the formal opening of the Frick Park Playground. Yesterday Hugh Russell, who has charge of the playground, asked with twenty of the boys to Laurelville where they cooked their dinner and had a very pleasant day.  
 Helen Bailey, wife of James Bailey, aged 73 years, of Southers, died at her home on Tuesday night. Funeral services will be held on Friday afternoon and interment will be made in St. John's cemetery.  
 The Kana Entertainment of the local I. O. O. F., has postponed all degree work during the months of July and August and will work for a large class to be initiated in September.  
 Three hundred feet of wire has been stretched from the Armory Building across the Frick park and connected to a pole there. From this is suspended six lights and under these Company E, Tenth Regiment, are holding their weekly drills and are attracting no little attention at them. Following the membership campaign, Captain Walter Evans has a full company of 65 men and a waiting list of eighteen.  
 L. Gardner, one of the regular lodgers at the borough look-up, is spending five days in the look-up for drunkenness and disorderly conduct.  
 Mrs. E. E. Zuck and daughter, Mrs. Margaret, are spending a short time with the former's mother at Harrison City.  
 Miss Reba Kucunin of Greensburg, was the guest of her sister, Miss Suez, yesterday.

## ROCKWOOD.

**ROCKWOOD, July 14.**—Calvin Bush, the local lodge automobile representative, left Wednesday on train No. 15 with Messrs. John Nichols, J. C. McMillan, Milton Helms, and H. E. Miller and Bernard Miller, for Cleveland, O., where they will receive a shipment of Dodge cars and bring them overland to Rockwood. They will join a crowd from Somerset at Cleveland.  
 Miss Elizabeth Dull of Johnstown, is the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Sumner of Highland addition. Miss Dull is undergoing a course in nursing at the Memorial Hospital.  
 Mrs. J. R. Landis of Somerset is spending several days this week as the guest of her many Rockwood friends. Mrs. Landis was formerly Miss Edna Adams.  
 Misses Maude and Pearl Snyder, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Snyder of Dunport, Neb., are guests of relatives in Rockwood and vicinity for several weeks.  
 A large number of friends of Ralph Boyle gave a surprise party in honor of his birthday on Tuesday evening. The evening was greatly enjoyed by all present. Many of the latest parties games furnished the amusement for the evening, after which a delicious luncheon was served.  
 Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Meyers of Rockwood are spending the week with Mrs. Meyers' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips of Somerset.

## ITCHING ECZEMA COVERED ENTIRE BODY, RESINOL CURED

Could Not Sleep, 8 Remedies Had Failed. Resinol Stopped Itching Immediately.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 11, 1914.—"My entire body, even my eyelids, was completely covered with itching sores as large as a pea. When one would burst water would come from it, and then it would turn into a very painful sore. The burning and itching were something terrible, and I COULD NOT SLEEP a rest. I think I had one of the worst cases of eczema a human being ever had. I used eight different kinds of remedies without success. I then tried Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap and it stopped the itching IMMEDIATELY. I gradually noticed a change for the better. Now I am entirely cured, and am without a pimple or blemish on any part of my body."  
 (Signed) Edward F. McCallough, 249 River St., Mattapan, Resinol Ointment and Resinol Soap heal skin eruptions, clear away pimples, and form a most valuable household treatment for sores, burns, etc. Sold by all druggists.

## INDIAN CREEK.

**INDIAN CREEK, July 14.**—Mrs. S. C. Kulp of Duvalltown is spending today among Connellsville friends and shopping.  
 S. G. Switzer is a caller in Connellsville today.  
 William Brady who spent some time among friends in the Indian Creek valley, returned to Pittsburg this morning.  
 Miss Joan Hill of near Mill Run, is spending today among friends here.  
 Mrs. Alice Reed and Mrs. John May are spending today among Connellsville friends and shopping.  
 George Arzbacher of Connellsville, spent a few days among Mill Run friends.  
 Gould Hyatt of Connellsville, left for Rogers Mill this morning and will go into camp there for a few days.  
 Mrs. Robert Norris and daughter of Connellsville, left for Rogers Mill this morning, where they will try camp life for a few weeks.  
 Mrs. Frank Younklin of Pennsville, is spending a few days among Mill Run friends.  
 S. M. Poust and Joseph Hoeschell returned to Connellsville this morning after spending a day along the Indian Creek valley on business.  
 George Hilmer of Mount Braddock, was a business caller here yesterday.  
 Jacob and William Shipley of Wartman Run, are business callers in Connellsville today.  
 Miss Irene Hyatt and sister are spending today among Mill Run friends.

## CONFLUENCE.

**CONFLUENCE, July 15.**—Miss Grace Havner and four girl friends of Uniontown, are spending a week's vacation in town.  
 Misses Jeannette Krebs and Laura Jean Cuppert of Perryopolis, arrived here yesterday for a few days' visit with Miss Louise Augustine.  
 The Hogue & Cobb tinners here is receiving consignments of bark and hides daily.  
 Morgan Burnworth and daughter Cora of Uniontown, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reiber of Johnson's Chapel.  
 A. W. Meyers of McKeesport, is spending a few days at Addison visiting relatives.  
 Mrs. J. C. Younklin and son Russell have returned from a visit with the former's sister, Mrs. Lloyd Colborn in Brownsville.  
 John Kregar left yesterday for Somerset, where he has secured a position.  
 Ray Bell of Pittsburg, arrived here yesterday to spend a few days with relatives.  
 Rev. Nolan Sumner of Wilkinsburg, was greeting friends in town yesterday.  
 Misses Thelma Pike, Ruth Burnworth, Patricia Plankin, Leona Smith and Beatrice Younklin held an all day picnic near Johnson's Chapel yesterday.  
 Miss Edie Hogue was a caller in Ohioopolis yesterday.

## OHIOVILLE.

**OHIOVILLE, July 15.**—J. Horton is a business caller in Connellsville today.  
 William Glatfelter, Edgar Glatfelter, and Misses Thelma and Helen Kitch, and Misses Thelma and Helen Kitch, arrived here yesterday at Lindbergh farm. Joseph Glatfelter and son Jesse of Connellsville, were callers here yesterday.  
 Mrs. Rosa Linderman spent Wednesday calling on friends.  
 Mrs. George Shipley of Bidwell, spent Wednesday shopping in town.  
 Mrs. L. W. Shaw spent yesterday calling on Connellsville friends and shopping.  
 Richard Bryner was a business caller in town yesterday.  
 Jack Hayes of Humbert, spent yesterday in Ohioville.  
 Miss Francis Thorpe spent Wednesday in Connellsville shopping and calling on friends.  
 Hugh Browning of Uniontown, arrived here yesterday to spend a few days with relatives.  
 Mrs. T. C. Marietta and baby returned to their home here last evening after a visit with relatives in Connellsville.  
 Daniel Stull of Bear Run, was a caller here yesterday.

## MEYERSDALE.

**MEYERSDALE, July 14.**—A very delightful surprise party was tendered Mrs. J. P. Naugle on Monday evening by the members of the Ladies' Bible Class of the Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church. The ladies brought with them well filled baskets from which the lunch was served.  
 Miss Margaret Glander of DuBois, arrived here yesterday and expects to remain for some time as a guest at the home of her brother and sister-in-law.



## Blindfolded Tire Buyers

This is to point out the way to the light.

Tires which seem identical are often most unlike. There are dozens of standards. The fierce competition compels many a compromise, affecting what you seek.

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\$500,000 yearly. And nearly all for things you never see—things you never miss until the tire falls down.

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July 21st to July 27th.

## At Hager's

You will find at Hager's this week a full line of the most up-to-date groceries that money can buy, and at the most Reasonable Prices that can be obtained in the city. We lead, others follow.

Large Sack of Laurel Flour.....	\$2.00	3 5c Boxes Matches for.....	10c
Small Sack Laurel Flour.....	\$1.05	3 5c Sacks Salt for.....	10c
Large Sack Sweet Loaf Flour.....	\$1.35	2 lbs. Fresh Peanut Butter.....	25c
Small Sack Sweet Loaf Flour.....	.95c	6 Cans Oil Sardines.....	25c
Large Sack Corn Meal.....	25c	3 Boxes Royal Oats.....	25c
Small Sack Corn Meal.....	15c	1 lb. Best Lard for.....	25c
1 bu. New Potatoes, 60 lbs.....	75c	3 Boxes Macaroni or Noodles.....	25c
1 doz. Quart Mason Jars.....	45c	3 Large Bottles Catsup.....	25c
1 doz. Pint Mason Jars.....	35c	3 lbs. Lima Beans.....	25c
3 Loaves Pittsburg Bread.....	25c	3 lbs. Roman Beans.....	25c
3 Large Cans Tomatoes.....	25c	6 Cakes Octagon Soap for.....	25c
4 Small Cans Tomatoes.....	25c	6 Cakes Ivory Soap for.....	25c
3 Cans Baby Sweet Peas.....	25c	6 Cakes Fell's Naphtha Soap.....	25c
3 Cans Good Sweet Corn.....	25c	8 Cakes Silver Gloss Soap.....	25c
3 Cans Yellow Free Peaches.....	45c	10 Cakes Sunshine Soap.....	25c
1 Can Pink Salmon.....	10c	6 Large Rolls Toilet Paper.....	25c
1 Can Eagle Brand Milk.....	15c	3 Bottles Vanilla for.....	25c

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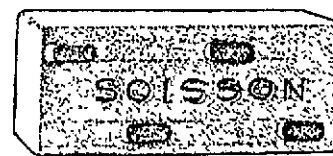
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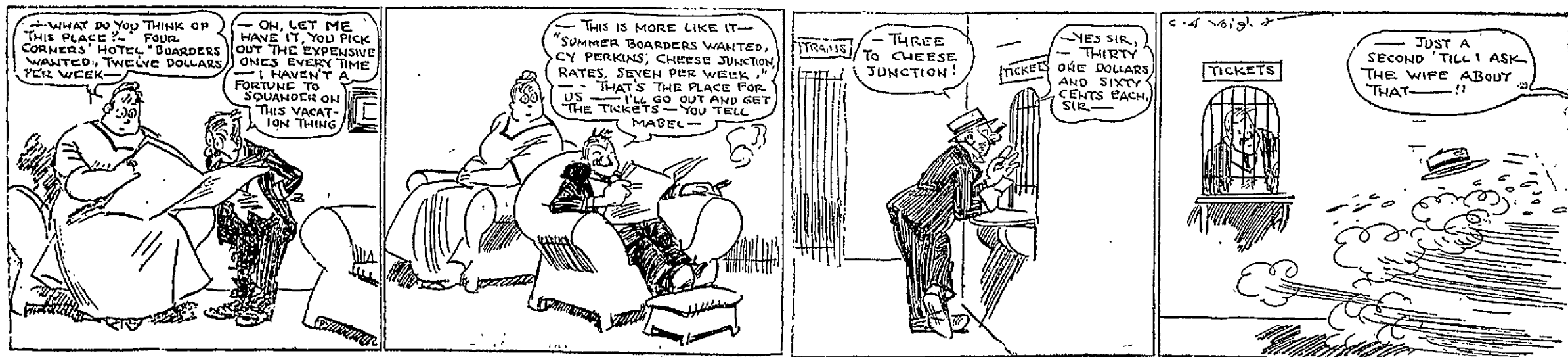
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 SEE SAMPLES AT OFFICE.

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PETEY DINK—There's Always Something Wrong With the Cheap Places.

By C. A. Volght.



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## WHY PROGRESS FAILED.

The South Conneltsville sewer bond issue was beaten through the opposition of the citizens of the large outlying section which would have received no benefit whatever from the proposed improvement.

The architects of the borough of South Conneltsville made a serious mistake when they laid it out on such generous lines. They included not only the built-up portions of South Conneltsville and their immediate environment, but also a large section of Conneltsville, including the mountain land, more of it on edge than on bottom, most of it steeper more thickly with boulders than buckwheat, and all of it having more rattlesnakes than voters.

It is to this day something of a mystery why South Conneltsville borough was incorporated with city limits. The natural answer is for the purpose of taxation, but the taxes levied must necessarily be limited, and the obligation assumed in the way of fire protection, police protection, sewerage and other borough matters are a multitude. It is possible, of course, to ignore these obligations, but that does not wipe them out, and they will return from time to time to plague the borough administration.

The vote on the bond issue is an illustration of the latter fact. The dwellers in this suburban territory, well knowing that the sewer improvement would never reach them while the sewer taxes would cling like a brother, fought the proposition under a stinging sense of injustice, and their energetic work seems to have made an end of it.

Before South Conneltsville attempts any further improvements, it would be wise for its citizens to unite in a petition to the court to lay off its sprawling limits and reduce it to a corporate proposition capable of meeting its moral obligations in the way of protection and improvement.

## CATHEDRAL

The announcement that the assets of J. V. Thompson, at a fair valuation, set by disinterested appraisers familiar with coal land values in this section, aggregate over \$55,000,000 is reassuring to the public because it shows more than triple security for the immense loan the Uniontown banker is negotiating for the purpose of rehabilitating his bank, his business and his many associates who have been forced into the hands of receivers by his embezzlement.

The prospect of selling Greater county coal lands is much improved by the condition of the steel trade, which has greatly improved and seems to be on the verge of a sustained level of large production and liberal prices, such a condition as will call for expanded steel-making circumstances. It has stood still for several years. It is evidently due to move again ere long.

With the prospect loan applied to the liquidation of their indebtedness there is a reason why J. V. Thompson and his associates should not, in the hourly language of the country, come out of the cathedra "cat-bird."

## PRESCRIPTIONS.

"Judging from the number of Republican candidates in the office crowd must have been a good one with his promises this year even then in the past," is the staid suggestion of the Conneltsville News.

On the other hand, perhaps it means that there are fewer promises out and that the Republican primary is open to all Republican aspirants, and isn't this the more reasonable presumption?

Tenth regiment men are reported to be good marksmen, which is an important qualification of the real soldier when he is permitted to face the enemy within shooting distance, but the war news from Europe indicates that modern battles are fought with bigger guns. We need more cannon and more soldiers, but the Tenth regiment boys can conduct themselves with the thought that they have done their duty whatever befalls.

The labor celebration seems to be getting with momentum.

Republican candidates for the Presidency are bumping up. It is said that New York will present Elmer Root and Ohio Theodore Burton. In Pennsylvania it is said that Martin G. H. is waiting for the lightning to strike him. Whoever the Republican nominee is in 1916 one thing is certain, namely that he will be the undoubted choice of the convention.

Somebody ought to buy Saint Swain a cemetery lot in some nice, high, dry spot.

Professor See of Alabama has discovered that gravitation is an electrical phenomenon, but numerous writers are pointing out that the discovery was discovered from time to time by other discoveries during the past forty years, and that it is self-evident whether it is a real discovery. Perhaps we had better wait and see.

In declaring Harry Thaw sane the New York jury merely voiced public opinion.

Dr. Henry W. Temple has come back and is willing to run again for Governor, this time as a Republican. He should have the opportunity. We are all Republicans again, and the Republican organization is not going to hold out on anybody who comes in.

If Georgia has to call out the militia every time Leo Frank moves around on the prison farm he is going to be an expensive prisoner.

The Farm Bureau is not an experiment. Its value has been demonstrated in other counties. What Fayette county needs is more and better farming, that is to say more land under intelligent cultivation.

The state has fought the foot and mouth disease to a finish and is just now taking a few falls out of the ancient and always present typhoid fever.

The Fayette County Farm Agent got here just in time to help judge the Frick gardens.

Phil, the insanity expert who wanted Thaw taken back to Nuttman, has never noticed himself. He testified that Thaw tried to hypnotize him. If Thaw had made any such allegations about Phil, the latter would have set them down to a disordered mind.

Up in Alaska it is 90 and 100 degrees in the shade. Our good old summer seems to have moved up into the Arctic Circle.

Another quick change for the cops.

The Frick garden and lawn prizes are growing in popularity as well they may be. The gardens are profitable whether they draw prizes or not.

Wilbur Wright, the aviator, has joined the Government Advisory Board of Inventors and Technical Experts. With some more men like Edison and Wright on this advisory board it is bound to be heard from to the nation's advantage.

The weather man promises cooler weather and more rain. The country is getting tired of such promises. The trouble with them is that they all come true.

The Chattanooga has become a Conneltsville institution and the fact speaks well for the community as well as the Chattanooga.

Pennsylvania spent \$1,350,000 to stamp out the foot and mouth disease. This is a staggering sum, yet it is appalling to contemplate the cost to the people if an organized effort had been made to eradicate the epidemic.

The New York Herald is almost as pro-British as the Paris edition is pro-French. There is some excuse for the Paris Herald. The American edition ought to be more conservative.

William of Germany has assured his bankers that the war will be over by October. This would be great news if it came from Berlin instead of London.

The News and the Solon Theatre, temporary have entered upon a big combine. No doubt it will be great, but why put the little end first?

## Napoleon the Third

By GEORGE FITCH,  
Author of "At Good Old Swast."

If Napoleon Bonaparte did not absorb much of the earnest attention of history, his nephew, Louis Napoleon, would be regarded as one of the most remarkable characters ever produced by an ambition run continuously on the high seas.

This man was born a prince. He then became an exile, an American immigrant, a revolutionary, a prisoner, President of France, Dictator and Emperor, the last European ruler to conquer a part of North America and a world power of whom most of Europe stood in awe.

From this eminence, he descended in a few short months to a prisoner of war, an exiled private citizen and a deceased gentleman who has been so thoroughly overlooked by history that even the caricatures do not demand to be shown his tomb.

When Napoleon Bonaparte was shipwrecked on St. Helena, Louis Napoleon took up the job of winning back the throne. He tried to start a couple of revolutions, and only drew a tip to America, and his sentence in prison out of two attempts. He escaped to England and when France revolted in 1848, rushed to Paris and became a candidate for President.

Louis Napoleon was one of the world's little emperors. He got 5,000,000 votes out of 7,000,000. Three years later he held up Paris with



An ambition runs continuously on the high seas.

artillery, while he reorganized the constitution and had himself elected for ten years. Only a few people hated him too badly enough to vote against him. The next year he took the constitution into the streets and proclaimed himself Emperor.

Napoleon ruled for eighteen years and was a considerable emperor. He rebuilt Paris into a beautiful city, whipped Austria and Great Britain, captured Mexico, helped whip Russia and finally learned the art of peace.

This was his great mistake. In his last years, Napoleon had been too busy to pick his generals with care. He sent von Moltke into France and when Napoleon rode out to Sedan to help his generals, he was taken prisoner with the army. At this point he declared the emperor job permanently vacant and instituted the republic which will soon celebrate its fifteenth anniversary. Napoleon when released went to England, where he died in 1871.

Prime last Alaska and Lorraine because of Napoleon's foolishness. If she had not lost them the world would probably be at peace today. Those Napoleons were master hands at stirring up trouble, even after death.

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# The Great Clearance Sale Bargains Will Continue

Every department of our sixty-three stores have been ransacked and all summer goods, all odds and ends, have been repriced at remarkably low figures. These bargains include every department. Shirts, underwear, hats, caps, shoes, dry goods, dress goods, in fact all lines that are usually kept in a first-class department store. These goods are not shop worn, or old stock, being new merchandise bought for this summer's business, and none of these large stock will be carried over. These goods are all priced wonderfully low. Values have been sacrificed and actual cost has been disregarded entirely. You will find at this sale low priced articles that are needed in every household, and a visit to any one of our sixty-three stores will be profitable.

## Union Supply Co.

63 Large Department Stores

Located in Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties.

## Women Know that Pumps are Always Right

THAT we show the largest and best variety of styles in BLACK, WHITE and all effective combinations to be found in Conneltsville.

THAT our footwear has earned the reputation for splendid wear.

THAT our Prices are always the Lowest, Quality considered.

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### Deer Park Hotel, Md.

This famous summer resort on the crest of the Allegheny mountains will be opened July 1st. The entire hotel has been thoroughly overhauled and renovated and the cuisine is better than ever. The magnificent golf links are in excellent condition and the surrounding forests are suitable for all outdoor sports. Elaborate entertainment programs. Motoring parties are catered to. Write for illustrated booklet and rates. John H. Murphy, Deer Park Hotel, Deer Park, Md.—Adv.

### CALIFORNIA

Personally conducted tours to the Grand Canyon. Both Expeditions and Important Cities of the West. 22 Days, leaving 24th August 7th. Battery that class. All expenses included. Send for particulars to J. H. Murphy, Jackson Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### FOR SHERIFF

Newt Newcomer of Fayette County Subject to Republican Primaries, September 21, 1915. Your vote and influence solicited.

### FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

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You have goods to sell.  
A great many people in this city want to buy them.  
Tell them.  
These people very largely are readers of The Courier.  
What is simpler than to tell them thru the advertising columns of The Courier?  
This train of reasoning, this veritable A B C of advertising applies alike to the manufacturer with a product to introduce or the storekeeper with many things to sell. Tell them now.



## SECOND PAVING ESTIMATE IS PAID BY THE COUNCIL

Scottdale Borough Council  
Donates \$400 to the Vol-  
unteer Firemen.

## REGULATE DIGGING OF STREETS

Funeral of George L. Graft a Very  
Large One: Y. M. C. A. Officers  
Chosen by Board; Mrs. Nan E.  
Smith Recovering from Illness.

Special to The Courier.  
SCOTSDALE, July 15.—At the  
meeting of council the payments of  
salaries and bills for the first half-  
month amounting to \$100.17, was  
approved. Tax Collector S. H. McMill-  
an reported collected of 1915 taxes,  
\$29,113.73. The following receipts  
were reported: Burgess Porter, \$50;  
L. M. Kuhn, work for, \$5.70; Broad-  
way National Bank, interest, \$29.80;  
Mary J. Brinkley, paving, \$25.49; C.  
M. Jarrett, paving, \$13.95; and W. A.  
Bacon, paving, \$20.51.

A notice from Smith & Snyder  
stated that Mrs. Sadie Hunt's house  
on Mulberry street has the cellar  
flooded in heavy rains on account of  
the insufficient size of the main sewer,  
and suggesting council to remedy  
needed for. Referred to sewer com-  
mittee.

The transfer of \$4,500 from the  
general to the paving fund was rat-  
ified and paving estimate No. 2 of  
L. P. Edwards, for work done on  
Grove, Hickory and Broad streets,  
amounting to \$5,000.66 authorized by  
street and finance committee, was  
ratified.

Chief Edward McClain represented  
the firemen in an appeal for a dona-  
tion of \$100 for expenses to the  
Shenandoah, and this amount was  
approved.

Citizens of the lower end of Dela-  
ware avenue complained that there  
is no fire plug within 1,000 yards of  
them. The fire and water committee  
was instructed to investigate.

An ordinance to prevent the digging  
up of newly paved streets and regu-  
late such digging in streets and alleys  
by individuals, corporations and com-  
munities was passed on three read-  
ings finally.

The street committee reported on  
its investigation of the status of the  
alley west of Chestnut street, between  
Mulberry and Brook streets and par-  
allel to same. A motion was made  
and passed that the committee having  
been instructed to investigate and re-  
port upon taking legal advice, that council  
has no jurisdiction in the matter.  
Such record was made on the min-  
utes.

The members present were William  
Butler, Roy Baker, E. L. Dills, John  
Gant, H. G. Martz, J. E. Tinsman  
and President J. W. Hutzmann.

A LARGO FUNERAL.  
The funeral services over the body  
of George L. Graft, aged 72, was held  
from his late home on Monday after-  
noon, and was one of the largest  
funerals ever held in this neighbor-  
hood. Mr. Graft's death was sudden.  
He had been in poor health for some  
time, but seemed in excellent health. That  
night he suffered a stroke of apoplexy  
and died Saturday morning. His  
wife, Mrs. Helen Graft, aged 72, died  
November 10, 1912, three  
days after their daughter, Mrs. Min-  
nie Litta Marsh died suddenly  
following an operation. The mother,  
who had been nursed by the daughter,  
until the latter was taken ill herself  
with appendicitis, did not know of  
her daughter's death, and her daugh-  
ter's expectation, when she left for  
the hospital that she would not see  
her mother again alive, was proven  
true. These two deaths were the  
first in the family in 24 years.

George L. Graft was found to live  
at their old home, which he preserved  
as nearly like it was when his wife  
was living. Mrs. Graft was a great  
lover of flowers and after her death  
her husband gave much of his time  
to the care of the flowers that his  
wife loved so well.

He had served his country well, en-  
listing in the 2nd Maine and being  
later transferred to the 15th Penn-  
sylvania Volunteer Infantry. He  
fought with distinction and was  
wounded three times by rebel bullets,  
the most serious by a minnie ball at  
Hatch's Run, which left a deep scar  
above one eye. When the rural

And Hands. Would Get Red and  
Sting and Burn So Could Not  
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Ointment. Healed in 4 Months.

1121 Parrish St., Philadelphia, Pa.—"My  
skin broke out in a rash. The parts affected  
were my face, neck and hands. They  
would get red and would  
sting and burn so I could not  
sleep. Afterwards they  
became very itchy and I could hardly  
stand it. The breaking out  
disfigured me.

"I used Cuticura Soap and  
Ointment. Cream of Talcum,  
also Cuticura Soap and found  
them unsatisfactory. I had  
the trouble four years before I used Cuticura  
Soap and Ointment. I found relief in three  
weeks. First I would wash with the soap  
three or four times a day, then I would  
dry lightly and apply the ointment,  
leave it on five or six minutes and wash it  
off with the soap again. I would leave the  
ointment on my hands and arms all night  
with a pair of loose gloves. I was entirely  
healed in four months." (Signed) William  
H. Brooks, October 27, 1911.

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route was established out of Scott-  
dale Mr. Graft was the first carrier  
and held the place until his resigna-  
tion in 1909. He leaves three sons  
and one daughter. The sons are  
Charles L. Graft, a millworker, and  
of the firm of Kicher & Graft; Jacob  
L. Graft, a millworker and farmer  
living a mile west of town, and Wil-  
liam A. Graft, also a millworker and  
farmer, near Wesley Chapel. The  
daughter is Emale, wife of Lloyd A.  
Leamon, of Grafton, W. Va.

The funeral services were in charge  
of Dr. Lawrence Keeler, who had  
officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Graft,  
and music was by the United Breth-  
ren choir. The pallbearers were the  
same as those at Mrs. Graft's funeral,  
viz. of their grandsons, Homer, El-  
bert, Russell and Charles Graft, and  
Clay and Roy Kicher. Burial was in  
the Scottdale cemetery.

OFFICERS ELECTION.  
The newly elected officers of the Y.  
M. C. A., following the election of  
the board of directors on July 12, are  
as follows: President, Robert Shump;  
first vice president, D. J. P. Strickler;  
second vice president, Arthur  
Went; secretary, J. S. Johnston;  
treasurer, J. M. Zimmerman.

ENTERTAINED CLUB.  
Miss Edna Porterfield entertained  
the Tuesday Sewing Club at the home  
of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Porterfield, at  
the White school house, on Tuesday,  
and a very delightful time was spent  
by all present at a supper of some  
18 RECOVERING.

Mrs. Nan E. Smith, a well known  
resident of this place, who was so  
seriously taken ill at the Presbyterian  
camp at Downing Run, and who was  
taken to the Mount Pleasant Hospital  
in J. C. Hulse's automobile Friday, is  
reported to be recovering.

AT THE CHURCH.  
By invitation A. B. Taylor and L. H.  
Rush are now at Edenboro, where  
they have opened a series of meetings  
in a church some distance from that  
town.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.  
At the Christian Church, Rev. J.  
Alex Agnew, pastor, on Sunday morn-  
ing there will be a united service at  
12 o'clock, with preaching at 11:30  
on "A Gateway." In the evening at  
7:15 there will be an illustrating of  
"Life of Christ," with 50 pictures.  
The sermon subject will be "The  
Illud Regem That Met Jesus."

SMITHFIELD.  
JULY 15.—Grant  
Spiker had a valuable horse died from  
sickness Tuesday. He lost one a short  
time before from the same cause.

An Harry Dorsey of Baxter's Ridge  
was coming to town Tuesday morn-  
ing in his buggy he met a high pow-  
ered auto that struck the front  
wheels of the buggy, breaking several  
spokes. Fortunately he escaped unin-  
jured.

A. L. Dierman and party from Mo-  
nongahela passed through town in  
Mr. Dierman's car Wednesday morn-  
ing on their way to Point Marion to  
attend the Belgian picnic.

After services at the union prayer  
meeting at the Presbyterian Church  
Tuesday evening the congregation ad-  
joined to the corner of Main and  
Church streets where they held an  
open air singing prayer service. The  
congregation was largely composed  
of ladies.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Honsacker of  
Nicholson township, bus business  
visitors Wednesday.

G. A. Feather, wife and son Ray  
were business visitors at Uniontown  
Wednesday.

Johnson Williams and wife and  
Nicholas Honsacker of Bowwood were  
business visitors on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Miller of John-  
stown, Pa., were in town Tuesday and  
Wednesday.

Mrs. T. O. Wise, Mrs. Harry Abra-  
ham, A. J. Sutton and daughters  
McK. Chichester, Winifred and Mrs.  
Charles Costello attended the funeral  
of Mrs. Benjamin Robinson which  
took place from the home near Wood-  
bridge on Wednesday.

Mrs. William Grafton returned  
from Connellsville Monday evening,  
where she had went to consult Dr.  
Bulley, who performed a successful  
operation in removing a tumor from  
her ear. Her daughter, Mrs. John  
Costello of Point Marion, accom-  
panied her.

## Important Announcement

To the Citizens of Connellsville and Vicinity:

The officers of the Yough Ice & Storage Company,  
wish to inform the public that they have taken over the  
affairs of the old Yough Crystal Ice & Storage Company,  
with all its subsidiaries and have placed the management  
in the hands of a man with years of practical experience  
in this line of business.

The company has spared no expense in placing the  
plant and Delivery Equipment in first-class condition,  
thus assuring prompt and efficient service at all times  
with Pure Distilled Water ICE, which is very essential to  
the community. Ice Cream made of Pure and Wholesome  
products and Pure Pasteurized Milk.

The officers and stockholders of the New Company  
are representative citizens of your community and they  
earnestly solicit your support which will help maintain  
this high standard of product and service set forth.

Be Loyal Buy Royal Brick Ice Cream

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A July Sale of 1915 Wall Paper Patterns that means  
a big money saving to you.

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These comprise a big assortment of all the new colors and tones  
with gilt and conventional designs. These papers are good  
enough for any room in your house and sold from 7 1/2 to 15c the  
bolt; for the next two weeks, your choice  
of any of them, the bolt.

Solid Color Gaium Papers, the bolt, 8c  
A very swell line of patterns for bedrooms, living rooms,  
halls and parlors, the bolt, 5c  
Variegated Gilt, Jasper Stripes, Irregular Outlines, Two-tone and Gilt  
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at 15c to 75c the bolt.

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A limited number of patterns for rooms of every kind, papers that  
hang well and look well,  
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your paper at a lower price than you have ever paid. Bor-  
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"She's pitching pretty badly," Griswold called back. "If he only had sense enough to ease off a little. Suddenly he became aware of the finer heron of his companion. He knew now why she had refused to take shelter under the lee of the island, and why she was holding the catboat down to the edge of peril to keep the windward advantage of the laboring steamer. 'Margery, girl, you're a darling!' he shouted. 'Take all the chances you want to and I'm with you. Go to the bottom!'

She nodded complete intelligence and took in another inch of the straitened main sheet. Griswold looked again, this time at the catboat's counter, and saw a big schooner, close reefed, hauling out from a little bay on the north shore. The launch's plight had evidently impressed others with the necessity of doing something. The crew was sufficiently urgent. Once again the Swedish man of machinery in charge of the craft in peril was inclining his helm up in a vain endeavor to hold the course, and the little steamer was rolling almost funnel under. Griswold forgot his companion was a woman and swore rabidly.

"Look at the foot!" he yelled. "He's trying to come about! If he gets into the trough—"

The thing was done almost as he spoke. A wilder squall than any of the preceding ones caught the upper works of the launch and heeled her spitefully.

At the critical instant the steersman lost his head and spun the wheel, and it was all over. With a heaving plunge and a muffled explosion the launch was gone.

Once again Griswold was given to see the stuff Margery Grieron was made of in the fiercer war and wolf of her.

"That's for us," she said calmly; and then: "Help me get another inch or two on this sheet. We don't want to let these people on the Osprey do all the heaving." Together they held the catboat down to its work, sending it rippling through the created waves and fighting steadily for every foot of the precious windward advantage. None the less, it was the big schooner, thrashing down the wind with every square yard of its reefed canvas drawing, which was first at the scene of disaster. Through the rain and against their could see the schooner's crew picking up the shipwrecked passengers, who were clinging to lifeboats, broken bulkheads and anything that would float. So swiftly was the rescue effected that the rescuer had luffed and filled and was tearing on its way down the lake again when the cloudburst Clyde came up with the first of the boats.

The tiller maid's dark eyes were shining again, but this time their brightness was of tears.

"Oh, boy, boy!" she cried, with a little heartbroken catch in her voice; "some of them must have gone down with her! Can you believe that the Osprey got them all?" And then, with the sweet lips trembling: "I did my best, Kenneth. I'm very best—and it wasn't—good enough!"

She was putting the catboat up into the wind, and Griswold stumbled forward to get the broader outboard. Suddenly he called back to her.

"Port—port your helm hard! There's a man in a lifeboat—ho's just out of reach. Hold her there—steady—steady!" He had thrown himself flat, face down, on the half-deck forward and was clutching at something in the heaving sea. "I've got him!" he cried, and a moment later he was working his way off, holding the man's face out of water.

It asked for their united strength to get the gray-haired, heavy-bodied victim of the capsize over the Clyde's rail. They had to bring the lifeboat full; the old man's fingers were sunk into it with a dry grip that could not be broken. At first Griswold was too much preoccupied and shocked to recognize the drawn face with its hardened mouth and long upper lip. When he did recognize it the gripping fear was at his heart—the fear that makes a cruel coward of the hunted thing in all nature.

What might have happened if he had been alone? If Margery, taking her place at the tiller and burying herself swiftly in getting the catboat under way again, had not been looking out; he dared not think. And that other frightful thought he put away, fighting against it madly as a condemned man might push the cup of his neck from his lips. Forcibly breaking the drowned one's hold upon the lifeboat, he fell to work energetically, resuming to the first aid expedients for the reviving of the drowned as he had learned them in his boyhood. Once, only, he dug a word over his shoulder at Margery as he fought for the old man's life. "Make for the nearest landing where we can get a doctor!" he commanded; and then, in a passion of gratitude: "O God, I thank thee that I am not a murderer!"—he's coming back! He's breathing again!"

A little later he was able to leave off the first-aid arm-pumpings and chest-pressings; to straighten the limp and sprawling limbs; and to dive into the cuddy cabin, under Margery's directions, for blankets and rugs. When all was done that could be done, and he

had propped the blanket-washed body with the cushions so that the cream and plunge of the pitching catboat could be minimized for the sufferer, he went off to sit beside the helmsman, who was getting the final wave-leap of speed out of the little vessel.

"He is alive?" she asked. "Yes; and that is about all that can be said. He isn't drowned; but he is old, and the shock has gone pretty near to snapping the thread."

"Of course, you remember him?" she said, looking away across the leaping waves.

Griswold, with his heart on fire with generous emotions, felt the cold hand gripping him again.

"He is the old gentleman you introduced me to at the inn the other day; Galbraith; is that the name?"

"Yes," she rejoined, still looking away; "that is the name."

Griswold fell silent for the time; but a little later, when the catboat was rushing in long plunges through the entrance to the Wahaskan arm of the lake, he said: "You are going to take him to Mereside?"

"Yes, he is a friend of poppa's. And, anyway, it's the nearest place, and you said there was no time to lose."

Griswold helped the bearers lift the blanket figure out of the Clyde's cockpit, and while he was doing it, the steel-gray eyes of the rescued one opened slowly to fix a stony gaze upon the face of the man who was bending over him. When this line was met, Griswold heard, and so did one other. "So it's you, is it, ye murdering blue-eyed devil?" And then: "Eh, man, man, but I'm sick!"

Griswold walked with Margery at the tail of the little procession as it wound its way up the path to the great house.

"You heard what he said?" he inquired craftily.

"Yes; he is out of his head, and no wonder," she said soberly. Then: "You must go home and change at once; you are drenched to the skin. Don't wait to come in. I'll take care of your manuscript."

#### CHAPTER XXII.

The Valley of Dry Bones. The cyclonic summer storm had blown itself out, and the clouds were beginning to break away in the west, when Griswold, obeying Margery's urging to go home and change his clothes, turned his back upon Mereside and his face toward a future of thickening doubts and unnering possibilities.

Griswold had not deceived himself, nor had he allowed Margery's apparent conviction to deceive him. The old man's mind had not been wandering in the eye-opening moment of consciousness regained. On the contrary, what he had failed to do under ordinary and conventional conditions had become instantly possible when the plunge into the dark shadow had brushed away all the artificial becloudings of the memory page. What action he would take when he should recover was as easy to prefigure as it was, for the present at least, a matter negligible. The dismaying thing was that the broad earth seemed too narrow to hide in; that invention itself became the element of blindness when it was given the simple task of losing a single individual among the millions of unrefined human atoms.

Thus the threat of the peril which might be called the physical. But beyond this there was another, and, for a man of temperament, a still more ominous foreboding of evil to come. Of some subtle, deep-seated change in himself he had long been conscious. Again and again it had manifested itself in those moments of craving fear and ruthless, murderous promptings, when kindness, gratitude, love, all the humanizing motives, had turned suddenly to frenzied hatred, and the primitive savage had leaped up, fiercely raging with the bloodlust.

For a long time after he had reached his room, and had his bath and change, Griswold sat at his writing table with his head in his hands, thinking in monotonous circles.

The tiny chiming clock in his dressing case in the adjoining bedroom had tinkled forth its 10 tapping hammer strokes when he heard voices in the lower hall, and then a man's footstep on the stair. To a hard-pressed breaker of the traditions at such a moment an unannounced visitor, coming up in the dark, could mean but one thing. Griswold silently opened a drawer in the writing table and groped for the mate to the quick-draw pistol which after the change of wet clothing, he had put aside to dry.

The visitor came heavily upstairs, and Griswold, swinging his chair to face the open door, saw the shadowy bulk of the man as he came through the upper hall. When the bulk filled the doorway it was covered by the pistol held low, and Griswold's finger was pressing the trigger.

"Alec, old man?" said the intruder in Raymer's well-known voice.

There was a sound like a gasping sob, and another as of a drawer closing softly. Then Griswold said: "No; I'm not asleep. Come in. Shall I

light the gas?" "Not for me," returned the odd-time visitor, entering and groping for the chair at the desk-end, into which, when he had placed it, he dropped wearily. "I want to smoke," he went on. "Have you got a cigar—no, not the pipe; I want something that I can chew on."

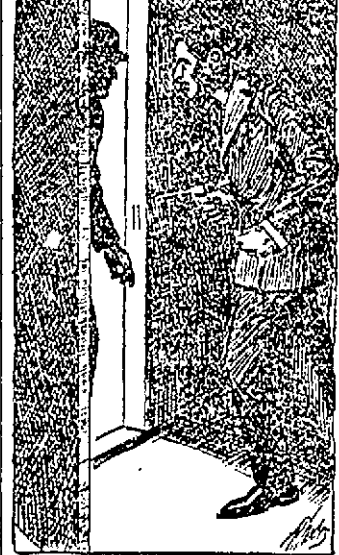
A cigar was found, in the drawer which had so lately furnished the weapon, and by the time of the match in Raymer's fingers Griswold saw a face haggard with anxiety.

"What is the matter, Edward?" he asked.

"A mix-up with the labor unions. It's been brewing for some little time, but I didn't want to worry you with it. Unless we announce a flat increase of 20 per cent in wages to-morrow morning, and declare for the closed shop, the men will go out on us at noon. I've seen it coming."

If the god of malchance had chosen the moment it could not have been more opportune for the fire-lighting of inexperience. Griswold's swing-chair righted itself with a click.

"We'll see them in hell, first, Raymer! The ungrateful beggars are



When the Bulk Filled the Doorway It Was Covered by the Pistol

merely proving that it isn't in human nature to meet justice and fairness and generous liberality half way. If they want a fight, give it to them. Lift first and hit hard; that's the way to do. Shut up the plant and make it a lockout."

"I was afraid you might say something like that in the first heat of it," said the young ironmaster. "It's a stout fighting word, and I guess, under the skin, you're a stout fighting man, Kenneth—wheeler I'm not. Where are your convictions about the man-to-man obligations? We've got to take them into the account, haven't we?"

"Damn the convictions!" snapped Griswold viciously. "If I've been giving you the impression that I'm an impracticable theorist, forget it. These fellows want a fight; I say give them a fight—all they want of it and a little more for good measure."

Raymer did not reply at once. This latest Griswold was puzzling him, and with the puzzlement there went a rowdy regret; the regret that had been the recaster's portion in all the ages. When he spoke it was out of the heart of common sense and sanity.

"I know how you feel about it. I don't dare to pull down a fight which may be only shut us up for an indefinite time, but might even go far enough to smash us."

Griswold took his turn of silence, rocking gently in the tilting chair. When the delayed rejoinder came, the harshness had gone out of his voice, but there was a cynical hardness to take its place.

"It's your affair; not mine," he said. "If you've made up your mind not to fight, of course, that settles it. Now you can come down to the causes. You've been stabbed in the back. Do you know who's doing it?"

"The Federated Iron Workers, I suppose."

"Not in a thousand years! They are only the means to an end." The tilting chair swayed again, and he went on: "If I'm going to show you how you can do this thing, I'll have to knock down a door or two first. If I blunder in where I'm not wanted, you can kick me out. There is one way in which you can cure all this trouble-making without resorting to surgery and blood-letting."

"Name it," said Raymer eagerly. "Well, but first I'll have to break over into the personalities. Have you made up your mind that you are going to marry Margery Grieron?"

Raymer laughed silently, leaning his head back on the cushion of the lazy chair until his cigar stood upright.

"That's a nice way to biff a man in the dark!" he chuckled. "But if you're in earnest I'll tell you the straightforward truth: I don't know."

"You mean that Margery Grieron doesn't measure up to the requirements of the Wahaskan Four Hundred? There was sufficient scorn in the observation, but Raymer did not perceive it.

"Oh, I don't know as you would put it quite that baldly," he protested. "But you see, when it comes to marrying and settling down and raising a family, you have to look at all sides of the thing. The father, as we all know, is a cold-blooded animal; the mother nobody knows anything about save that—happily, in all probability—she isn't living. And there you are. Yet I won't deny that there are times when I'm tempted to shut my eyes and take the high dive, anyway—"

the risk of splashing a lot of good people who would doubtless be properly scandalized."

By this time Griswold was gripping the arms of his chair savagely and otherwise trying to hold himself down; but this Raymer could not know.

"You have reason to believe that it costs wholly with you, I suppose?" came from the tilting chair after a little pause. "Miss Grieron is only waiting for you to speak?"

"That's a horrible question to ask a man, Kenneth—even in the dark. If I say yes to it, it can't sound any other way than boastful and—caddish. Yet I honestly believe that—Oh, hang it all! can't you see how impossible you're making it, old man?"

"Not impossible; only a trifle difficult," was the qualifying rejoinder. "It is easier from this on. That is the peaceful way out of the shop trouble for you Raymer. When you can go to Jasper Grieron and tell him you are going to marry his daughter, the trouble will be as good as cured. This labor trouble that is threatening to smash you is Jasper Grieron's reply to the more you made when you let me in and choked him off. He is reaching for you."

Raymer held his peace and the atmosphere of the room grew pungent with tobacco smoke.

"I'm feeling a good bit like a yellow dog, Kenneth," he said, at length. "After what I've admitted and what you've said, I'm left in the position of the poor devil who would be damned if he did and be damned if he didn't. You have succeeded in fixing it so that I can't ask Margery Grieron to be my wife, however much I'd like to."

"That isn't the point," insisted Griswold half savagely. "How you may feel about it, or what your people may say, is purely secondary. The thing to be considered is, what will happen to Miss Grieron?"

"Why, see here, old man; if you were Margery's brother, you couldn't be putting the screws on any harder! What's got into you tonight?"

Griswold was inexorable. "Miss Grieron hasn't any brother, and she might as well not have any father—better, perhaps. As God hears me, Raymer, I'm going to see to it that she gets a square deal."

"By George! I believe you are in love with her, yourself!"

"I am," was the cool reply.

"Well, of all that—Say, Griswold, you're a three-cornered puzzle to me yet. I don't see what the other three-fourths of the town is saying, but my fourth of it has it put up that you've oversteeringly cooked my goose at Doctor Dertie's; that you and Charlotte are just about as good as engaged. Perhaps you'll tell me that it isn't true."

"It isn't—yet."

"But it is up to me, later on? Now you are getting over into my little garden patch, Kenneth. If you think I'm going to stand still and see you put a wedding ring on Charlotte Farham's finger when I know you'd like to be putting it on Madge Grieron's—"

Griswold's low laugh came as an ending of stresses.

"You can't very well marry both of them, you know," he suggested mildly. And then: "If you were not so badly torn up over this shop trouble, you'd see that I'm trying to give you the entire field. I shall probably leave town tomorrow, and I more wanted to do you, or Miss Grieron, or both of you, a small kindness by way of leave-taking."

"Do you mean to tell me that you are going away, leaving me bucked and naked? If it's like that, out to live or die as I like? Great Scott, man! If my money's gone, yours goes with it!"

"You are freely welcome to the money, Edward—if you can manage to hang on to it; and I have pointed out the easy way to salvage the industrial ship. Can you give me your blessing and let me go in peace?"

"In blessing I give you, but without, but neither was it given."

"I came here with my own back-laid of trouble, but it seems that I'm not the only camel in the caravan," said the young ironmaster, thoughtfully. "What is it, Kenneth? anything you can unload on me?"

"You wouldn't understand," was the gentle evasion.

Once again Raymer took refuge in silence. After a time he said: "You're been a brother to me, Griswold, and I am a fool to forget that. But I needed your help in the money pinch. I'm needing it worse now. I'll do the right thing by Margery; I think I've been meaning to, all along; if I haven't, it's only because this whole town has been fixing up a match between Charlotte and me ever since we were school kids together—you know how a fellow gets into the way of taking a thing like that for granted merely because everybody else does?"

"Yes; I know."

"Well, I guess it isn't a heart-breaker on either side. If Charlotte cares, she doesn't take the trouble to show it. Just the same, on the other hand I've got a shred or two of decency left. Kenneth, I'm not going to marry my self out of this fight with Jasper Grieron—not in a million years. Stay over and help me see it through, and when we win out, I promise you I'll do the square thing."

"There's only one other way, Edward; and that is to fight like the devil," he said, speaking as one who has weighed and measured and decided. "What do you say?"

"If you will stay," Raymer began hesitantly.

"I'll stay—as long as I can." Then with the note of harshness returning: "Well, make the fight, and we'll give these muckers of yours all they're looking for. Shut the plant doors to-morrow morning and make it a lock out. I'll be over before you know it. We'll place a bunch of wire orders—"

the edicts for strike-breakers. That will bring them to time."

Raymer sat up slowly and felt in the dark for his hat.

"Strike-breakers!" he growled. "Griswold, it would make my father turn over in his coffin if he could know that we've come to that! But I guess you're right. Everybody says I'm too soft-hearted to be a master of men. Well, I must be getting home. Tomorrow morning, at the plant? All right; good-night."

And he turned to grope his way to the door and through the dark upper hall and down the stair.

#### CHAPTER XXIII.

Narrowing Walls. Griswold joined the conference with Raymer and the shop bosses in the offices of the plant the following morning. Having slept upon the quarrel, Raymer was on the conciliatory hand, and four of the five department foremen were with him. The prompt closing of the shops had had its effect, and a deputation of the older workmen came to plead for arbitration and a peaceful settlement of the trouble. But Griswold fought it and finally carried his point. "No compromise" was the answer sent back to the locked-out workmen, and with it went the ultimatum, which Griswold himself snapped out at the leader of the conciliators: "Tell your committee that it is unconditional surrender, and it must be made before five o'clock this afternoon. Otherwise, not a man of you can come back on any terms."

Then Griswold proceeded to make the breach impassable by calling upon the sheriff for a guard of deputies. Raymer shook his head gloomily.

"That settles it beyond any hope of a patch-up," he said sorrowfully. "If we hadn't declared war before, we've done it now. I'm prophesying that nobody will weaken when it comes to the payroll test this afternoon."

"Because we have taken steps to protect our property?" rapped the fighting partner.

"Because we have taken the step which serves notice upon them that we consider them criminals, at least in intention. I can't repeat it yourself, Griswold. If anybody should put the law on you before you had done anything to deserve it, I'm much mistaken if you wouldn't—"

"Oh, hell!" was the biting interruption; and Raymer could not know upon what inward fires he had unwittingly flung a handful of inflammables.

Broffin was as sure now that Griswold was his man as he was of his own present inability to prove it. "He'll make a mule-go, sooner or later," the pertinacious one was saying to himself as he strolled past the Raymer plant with a keen eye for the barred gates, the lounging guards in the yard, and the sober-faced workmen coming and going at the pay office. "If he can carry a steady hand through what's coming to him here, he's a better man than I've been sticking him up to be."

Later, a big, red-faced man with his hat on the back of his head and a paste diamond in his shirt bosom, came to join the shifting group on the office sidewalk. Broffin marked him. The man's name was Clancy; he was a Chicago ward worker, shrewd labor leader, demagogue; a bad man with a "roll." What chance had he against the Chicago ward bully into a village labor fight he was not long in finding. Clancy had come because he had been hired to come. The remainder was easy. The town gossip had supplied all the major facts of the Raymer-Grieron checkmate, and Broffin saw a great light. It was not labor and capital that were at odds; it was competition and monopoly. And monopoly, involving the aid of the Clancys, stood to win in a canter.

Broffin dropped the stick he had been whittling and got up to move away. Though some imaginative persons would have it otherwise, a detective may still be a man of like passions—and generous prepossessions—with other men. For the time Broffin's eagle-sharp hearing, the love of fair play, made him forget the limitations of his trade. "By jiggerles, the old axel!" he was muttering to himself as he made a slow circuit of the plant inclosure. "Somebody ought to tell them two young ducks what they're up against. For a pincushion, I'd do it myself. Huh!—and the little black-eyed girl plays fast and loose with both of 'em at once while the old money-occupations 'em all!"

Thus Broffin, circling the Raymer works by way of the four enclosing streets; and when his back was turned the man called Clancy pointed him out to the group of discontents.

"D'ye see that fella doublet the fence corner? Y're a fine lot of jays up here in th' backwoods! Do I know him? Fuh! well I do! An' that shows ye what honest workin' men has got to come to, these days. Didn't ye see him sittin' there on that castin'? Th' bosses put him there to keep tricks on ye. If ye have the nerve of a bunch of hoboes, ye'll watch yer chances and stop on him like a coiled snake. He's a Plunkerton!"

Wahaska was duly thrilled and excited when, on the day following the storm and shipwreck, it found itself the scene of an angry conflict between capital and labor. It was a crude surprise, both to the West side and to "Pottery Flat," to find the new book-writing partner not only taking an active part in the fight, but apparently directing the capitalistic hostilities with a high hand. At half-past four it was whispered about that war had been declared. Raymer and Griswold were telegraphing for strike-breakers; and the men were swearing that the plant would be picketed and that scabs would be dealt with as traitors and enemies.

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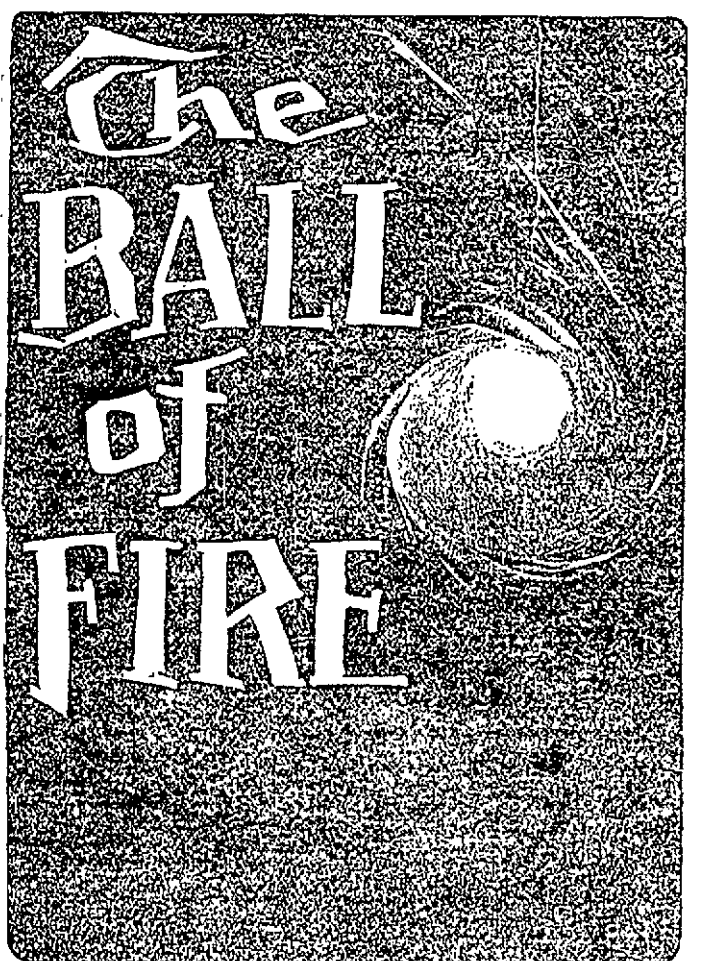
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## SHARPLY STIFFEN DO THE PRICES OF CONTRACT COKE

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### PIG IRON IS READY TO JUMP

Though the Market Conditions Seem to  
be Most Peculiar with Reference  
Especially to Lake Front Stocks  
General Upward Movement on Way.

From the Weekly Courier  
PITTSBURGH, July 14.—Coke opera-  
tors have stiffened sharply in their  
attitude to contract coke, in view of  
the increasingly favorable reports from  
the steel industry and indications that  
after its long lethargy, the pig iron  
market is on the verge of an important  
advance. The first stiffening in fur-  
nace coke occurs by a shortening in  
the period of delivery possible at the  
market price, as at \$1.75 only July and  
third quarter coke seems to be ob-  
tainable, and by no means all brands  
at that figure, while for the whole  
second half about \$2.00 will prob-  
ably represent the minimum price  
that could be obtained today. There  
is not much inquiry at the moment,  
however, to get prices and the coke  
operators seem to be well satisfied  
with that phase of the situation.  
It is, that is, those prices they will  
have to stand for asking into  
concrete still higher prices.

The spot fur- coke market ex-  
hibits considerable strength in that  
after the fourth of July they it has  
not receded to its former level. There  
is not a large amount of spot coke  
available, and even a very moderate  
demand would quickly absorb it.  
It is understood that the list of the  
Lackawanna stocks is going into blast  
and that coke for this furnace is to be  
bought. A Shenandoah Valley furnace  
is to blow in on Bessemer iron shortly,  
and a high grade of 1000 lb. fur-  
nace coke will have to be secured.

The coke market is quotable ap-  
proximately as follows:  
Spot fur- coke \$1.75  
July and 3rd quarter fur- \$1.75  
8th and 9th fur- \$2.00  
Prompt fur- coke \$2.00  
Contract, forward \$2.00

The pig iron market has certainly  
come to life, but under rather peculiar  
circumstances. Furnaces in some dis-  
tricts have stiffened in their price  
views, while furnaces in other districts  
have let loose, and at the very time  
that Lake front furnaces, particularly  
in Cleveland, have sold iron for deliv-  
ery in West Virginia and Central  
Ohio at lower prices than the Lake  
Valley furnaces have marked up their  
quotations and prices, indicating that  
the course of the market will justify  
their action. It is understood that  
\$12.00 and possibly less, has been ac-  
cepted for Lake iron in two or three  
cases by Lake front furnaces. On the  
other hand, the Valley furnaces have  
marked up bids to \$11.00 at furnace,  
and Bessemer to \$11.00. It is under-  
stood that in certain cases these prices  
have already been secured, owing to  
the geographical position of the buy-  
ers. It is reported that the Youngs-  
town Sheet & Tube Co. has pur-  
chased 50,000 tons of the residue of  
Lake iron at favorable prices and it  
is stated in some quarters that the  
buying of Lake and Bessemer iron by  
large steel making interests will soon  
relieve the pig iron market sharply.  
On the other hand there may be more  
cheap iron in Lake front than specu-  
lators and others than the Valley furnaces  
seem to expect. The Lake front stocks  
are believed to be producing profit-  
ably as much from as they can, and  
with demand for steel growing some  
of them at least will have to buy iron  
in the open market as they have done  
hitherto when under particular pres-  
sure to produce their maximum ton-  
nage of steel. The Valley market on  
pig iron is quoted as follows:  
Bessemer \$11.00  
Lake \$11.00  
Prompt \$11.00  
Mail \$11.00  
Forward \$11.00

Prices in the Pittsburgh market are  
usually the Valley prices plus the 95  
cents freight, but at the present time  
there are no iron in the market and  
furnaces from as distant for Pittsburgh  
delivery at less than the Valley  
equivalent.

### COST OF COKE MAKING

W. F. Fohl presents interesting pa-  
per on West Virginia Mining Men.  
An interesting paper on the cost of  
coke making in West Virginia, by W. F.  
Fohl, is presented at the West Virginia  
Mining Institute at its recent session in Wheeling.  
Mr. Fohl estimates the net profit  
from a 1,000 acre coke plant at  
13 1/2 cents a ton.  
Among estimates given were the following:  
An investment of 1,000  
acres of coal at \$1,000 per acre, was  
placed at \$1,000,000, with \$100,000  
added as cost of constructing 100  
ovens. Interest charges of \$10,000  
annually were given. A sinking fund  
of \$20,000 a year for 10 years a ton  
was also provided. Cost of produc-  
tion was estimated at \$2.10 a ton,  
with a credit of 8 cents a ton as profit  
on overhauling. With an average  
selling price of \$2.25 over 10 years  
average the net profit would be 11 1/2  
cents a ton.

### STEEL IS BEY.

Pennsylvania Steel Company Mills  
are in the process of the steel in-  
crease in the Pennsylvania Steel Com-  
pany. All the new open hearth fur-  
naces are in full operation this week.  
The list of the eight furnaces have  
been started yesterday. The full  
mill also started a hot iron mak-  
ing a full production for the first  
time in a month.  
One cause of the recent activity in  
the starting of work at the Penn-  
sylvania Steel Company is the fact  
that the order received from the  
Southern Pacific.

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est selling brand in  
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"THE GIRL WHO MIGHT OF  
BEING"  
Vitaphone Drama in three acts  
with Betty Gray and  
Harry Moore.  
"INDICATION"  
Lubin Drama with Louise Huff  
and Edgar Jones.  
"JANE EYE FAITHFUL"  
Biograph Drama with Augustus  
Anderson.  
"SHE SAVED HIS HOME"  
Vitaphone Comedy with Rose  
Tupley.

### Sports

#### Baseball at a Glance

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Yesterday's Results.			
New York 5, Chicago 5			
Cincinnati 1, St. Louis 4			
Brooklyn 2, Cincinnati 1			
Pittsburgh 1, Boston 1			
Standing of the Clubs.			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Philadelphia	10	.348	
Chicago	11	.339	
Brooklyn	11	.330	
Cincinnati	11	.321	
St. Louis	12	.307	
New York	13	.297	
Pittsburgh	14	.287	
Boston	15	.278	
Cleveland	16	.268	

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Yesterday's Results.			
Poston 7, Cleveland 1			
Cleveland 5, Boston 2			
Detroit 12, New York 3			
Chicago 6, Philadelphia 4			
Washington 2, St. Louis 1			
Standing of the Clubs.			
W.	L.	Pct.	
Chicago	11	.348	
Detroit	12	.339	
New York	13	.330	
Washington	14	.321	
St. Louis	15	.312	
Philadelphia	16	.303	
Cleveland	17	.294	
Boston	18	.285	
Pittsburgh	19	.276	

TODAY'S SCHEDULE.			
New York at Detroit.			
Washington at St. Louis.			
Poston at Cleveland.			
Philadelphia at Chicago.			
TODAY'S RESULTS.			
Pittsburgh at Kansas City 4.			

## RABID RUDOLPH SAYS



## SOISSON THEATRE "THE HOUSE OF LILIES" TODAY

THE FIRST EPISODE OF THE WORLD FAMOUS SERIAL  
"THE DIAMOND FROM THE SKY"  
ROSEMARY THIRY AND HARRY MAYERS IN THE THREE  
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"THE CHEVAL MYSTERY"  
THE JOKER COMEDY  
"THE MECHANICAL MAN"  
TOMORROW  
THE SECOND EPISODE OF THE POPULAR SERIAL  
"THE ROMANCE OF ELAINE"  
HOLBROOK BLINN AND ALICE BRADY COME SATURDAY IN  
"THE BOSS"

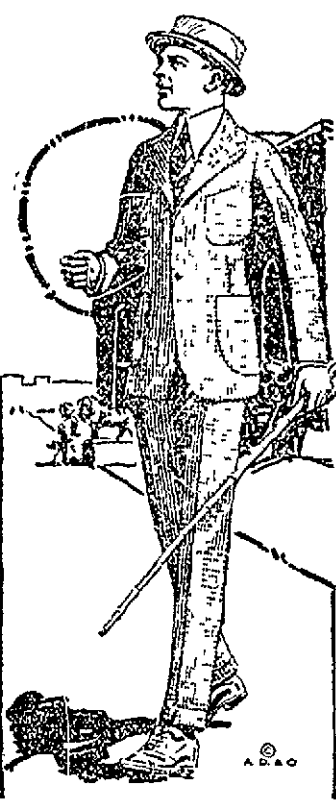
INCREASING ACTIVITY IN COKE, PIG IRON AND STEEL			
Indicates General Iron Trade Move- ment of First Importance and Major Operations Sanguine			
NEW YORK, July 14.—The Amer- ican Metal Market and Daily Iron and Steel situation tomorrow as follows: The coke, pig iron and steel markets are all showing signs of in- creased activity in the month of July. The general iron trade is in the midst of a move- ment of the first importance. The whole trade has become extremely stir- ring. Two months ago it was re- garded as conspicuous to predict that the steel mills would be operating practically at capacity by August			
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and Worth up to \$17  
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instead of one when you see them. All  
sizes in blue serge, Tartan checks,  
checks over plaids, new fancy mixtures,  
etc. Suits actually worth up to \$17.00  
on sale now at . . . . . \$9.75



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Men's Hats. Prices are down so, why  
not pick one now while picking is good  
All this season's styles and big values. Here  
are some prices:  
Any \$5.00 Hat . . . . . \$3.85  
Any \$1.00 Hat . . . . . \$3.25  
Any \$3.00 Hat . . . . . \$2.25  
Any \$2.50 Hat . . . . . \$2.00  
Any \$2.00 Hat . . . . . \$1.45

Boys' Clothing. Every parent should  
take the hint and fit the boys in one of our  
suits while the price is in your favor. Here  
are a few of them:  
\$13.50 and \$15 Boys' Suits \$10.00  
\$10.00 Boys' Suits . . . . . \$ 7.50  
\$ 7.50 Boys' Suits . . . . . \$ 5.00  
\$ 5.00 Boys' Suits . . . . . \$ 3.50  
\$ 3.50 Boys' Suits . . . . . \$ 2.75

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curtains that will appeal to our better class trade and are values in keeping with the fur-  
nishings of modern homes. Shown in natural color only and in two and one-half and  
three yard lengths.

Antique Curtains. Made of a very super-  
ior quality French Bobinet and beautifully  
adorned with antique hand-made lace edg-  
ings and insertings. Such curtains as these  
are well worth \$18.00 a pair. Special \$10.00  
Antique Styles. Made of Antique lace  
and insertings on fine Bobinet Regular  
price \$10.00. Priced during our Clearance  
Sale at . . . . . \$6.95  
Antique Styles. Choice designs in An-  
tique lace on fine Bobinet. Were \$7.00 a  
pair. Clearance Sale price . . . . . \$1.95  
Point Olympic. Very dainty and select  
patterns in an extra fine strong Bobinet  
New and exclusive designs and priced at  
\$12.50. On sale during our special Curtain  
Sale at . . . . . \$9.95  
Lasso Bobinet. Exclusive patterns with  
this store and quite new. A medium weight

Bobinet done in a heavy rich lace in beauti-  
ful design. Regular price \$9.00. During  
Clearance Sale . . . . . \$5.95  
Lasso Bobinet. Worth \$5.00; special  
during our Curtain Sale . . . . . \$3.15  
Lasso Bobinet. Worth \$3.50; special  
during our Curtain Sale . . . . . \$2.85  
Irish Points. New patterns in natural  
color, fine quality and beautiful designs.  
Curtains that will look well in any home,  
well selected and neat. Were \$10.00, now \$7.35  
Irish Points. Pretty, new patterns that  
were formerly \$8.00 pair. July Clearance  
price . . . . . \$5.35  
Irish Points. Good looking styles that  
were \$5.00 pair, on special sale now at \$3.75  
Cluny Curtains. Made of a good, service-  
able Bobinet and trimmed with pretty cluny  
laces. Were \$1.00 pair. During our Clear-  
ance Sale . . . . . \$2.55

### On Sale In Carpet Department

## Clearance Sale Underwear

Knit Union Suits. A splendid summer weight gar-  
ment with no sleeves and neck, umbrella or tight  
knee. Our regular \$1.00 quality during Clearance  
Sale . . . . . 50c  
Knit Union Suits. Good summer weight garments,  
with low necks and no sleeves, tight knee or umbrella  
styles. Regular price 50c, on sale now at . . . . . 39c  
Child's Union Suits. Summer weight, knitted, sleeve-  
less garments with tight or umbrella knee, 25c value.  
Clearance Sale price . . . . . 10c  
Child's Waists. A good 25c knit garment . . . . . 12 1/2c  
Muslin Combinations. Made of fine soft muslin and  
trimmed with embroidery. Regular price \$1.25. On  
sale now . . . . . 95c  
Envelope Chemise. Teddy Bear Envelope Chemise,  
nicey trimmed with lace and embroidery; 75c value,  
now, at . . . . . 59c

## San Mano Chocolates 29 cents

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